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END

Of the Present Congress is Happily Close at Hand.

The People Feel Relieved

That the Opportunities for Adding Burdens are About Ended. Cuba Amendment Will Provoke Much Discussion This Week. Russia Opposed to Trust-Made Goods.

Washington, Feb. 25.—The army appropriation bill will receive the attention of the senate during the early part of the week and when it is disposed of another appropriation bill will be taken up. It is probable that the army bill will be debated at length, especially upon the Philippine amendment and the amendment relating to Cuba, if the latter is introduced as is proposed. These amendments, or either of them, quite certainly will be made the basis of a number of speeches, as they will serve to open up the entire question of the relations of the United States to the islands. It is hoped that the sundry civil bill will be reported by the time the army bill is disposed of so that it may be taken up next. If it is not in shape to be considered by that time the river and harbor bill probably will receive attention. The general deficiency is likely to be the last of the appropriation bills acted on.

It is not believed that much general legislation will be accomplished during the week, but a great many private bills will be passed. The probabilities are all against getting up the Nicaragua canal bill.

Deck Cleared in the House.

Washington, Feb. 25.—The last week in the house will be mainly occupied with conference reports on the appropriation bills, and the other numerous measures now being fought over by the managers of the two houses. The last of the general appropriation bills went to the senate on Thursday, and the house has its decks pretty well cleared for the final contests with the senate. The last six days of the session are suspension days, and it is always possible to bring the house to a vote on any proposition under a motion to suspend the rules, which provide for only 20 minutes' debate upon a side.

Cuban Amendment.

Washington, Feb. 25.—There have been several conferences of senators looking to an amicable understanding on the Cuban question so that an extra session may be avoided. As a result it is said to be probable that an amendment dealing with our relations with Cuba will be presented in the senate during the day, when the army appropriation bill is taken up. The exact phraseology of the amendment, it is said, has not been definitely settled as yet, but the conferences have made it likely that the opposing parties in the senate will get together.

War Revenue Bill.

Washington, Feb. 25.—The Republican conferees on the war revenue reduction bill were in conference at the capitol for some time. The members are reticent regarding the deliberations of the committee and refuse to make any statement further than that no final agreement has been reached on the senate and house bills, but that one appears to be altogether probable.

JOINT SMASHERS

The Cause of Another Pitched Battle That Resulted Seriously.

Topeka, Feb. 25.—The home defenders broke loose at 3 o'clock this morning and smashed the north Topeka cold storage and beer depository, and after a severe fight in which thirty shots were exchanged, the police arrested Rev. F. W. Emerson, pastor of the Christian church and leader of the raiders. J. W. Adams, one of the raiders, was seriously wounded and is now in the hospital. Rev. Emerson had a slight flesh wound. The place raided was a wholesale supply house. Mrs. Nation was released from jail last night and went to Peoria. She was highly elated at this morning's work.

Sampson Wants "Cholly Boy" Heroes.

Washington, Feb. 25.—Secretary Long, of the Navy, has recommended for commissions eight enlisted men of the Navy, who served with distinction during the Spanish war, despite protests of Admiral Sampson, who says these men are not fitted socially to represent the United States in time of peace, and that to represent the United States socially one of the chief functions of Navy officers when there is no war.

The Big Steel Trust Finally Formed.

Jersey City, Feb. 25.—The steel trust is incorporated at last. It was done here this morning, under the name of United Steel Trust and the capital placed at $3,000, none of the names of big men in the trust appear as incorporators.

The small capital ($3,000) can readily be enlarged under New Jersey laws. The principal office of the trust is to be at 51 Newark street, Hoboken, N. J., which is the address of the Hudson Trust company. Articles state that the United States Steel Corporation business is: "—anufacture of iron, steel, manganese coke, copper, timber and other interests and all or any articles consisting or partly consisting of iron, steel, coper, wood, or other minerals and all or any products thereof."

How They Got Together.

New York, Feb. 25.—The American Bridge company was left out of the steel combination. The American Steel and Wire Co., will get $47,000,000 stock for its $40,000,000 worth of preferred stock, and for its $50,000,000 worth of common stock, gets $51,000,000 worth of United States common stock. The Federal Steel Co. gets in at 110 for preferred and 104 for common. The Carnegie people, for every $10,000 of their stock, will get $15,000 of stock in new concern. The National Tube people will get in at 120 for preferred and 140 for common stock. All of the lesser concerns will get in at an advance over their present holdings and on the present basis $720,000,000 worth of stocks are accounted for.

Enormous Gasser in West Virginia.

Cameron, W. Va., Feb. 25.—Half enough gas to supply Pittsburg escapes into the air at the W. J. Bryan gas well, nine miles east of here. It is burning in an enormous torch that reaches 200 feet in the air, with a roar that shakes the earth and can be heard for miles around. The well is the biggest that has been struck in years, and is said by experts, to be the greatest producer of gas than the famous big Moses.

With Military Prisoners.

San Francisco, Feb. 25.—The transport Solace arrived here from Manilla with six officers and 17 privates, sick and wounded. She also brought 13 military prisoners, among whom is Frederick M. Baker, a deserter, who was captured while serving as an officer in the Philippine army. He is under sentence of life imprisonment.

Spanish Cabinet to Resign.

Madrid, Feb. 25.—General Azcarraga, the premier, will present the resignation of the cabinet to the queen regent, and will probably be charged with the task of reconstructing the ministry. The responsibility for raising the state of siege will be left with the new government.

Arrived Dismasted.

San Diego, Cal., Feb. 25.—The long overdue ship Otto Geldemeister was towed in here entirely dismasted by the steamer Nome City.

FORGERY

The Alleged Confession is Pronounced.

Evidence Shows Dotson was Murdered,

In the Most Cold Blooded Manner, in an Effort to Clear a Trio of Convicts in the Penitentiary.

Helena, Mont., Feb. 25.—Captain Oliver Dotson, whose body was found in his cabin in Washington gulch, was undoubtedly murdered. Sheriff McMahon of Powell county says that Dotson was murdered and that the confession purporting to come from him, in which he was made to declare his son and grandson innocent of the murder of Eugene Cullinane, was a forgery. There is every reason to believe that the murder was committed by an ex-convict, who, it is asserted, had conspired with Clinton Dotson, Captain Dotson's son, now serving 99 years in the penitentiary, to kill the old man.

NOTICE OF MEETING.

OF THE DEMOCRACY OF THE CITY OF LIMA.

The Democracy of the City of Lima will meet at the school examiner's room in the basement of the court house in Lima, Ohio, on Friday evening, March 1st, 1901, for the purpose of electing a city committee and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Let there be a full attendance.

WALTER B. RICHIE, Chairman.
J. D. ARMSTRONG, Secretary.
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IN MEMORIAM.

At 4 o'clock this morning, at the home of his parents at 836 west Spring street, occurred the death of Charles LeRoy Michael. It will not come as a surprise to the community to hear of his death, but the news will bring pain and sorrow to many hearts. Death is a solemn word, and is dreaded more or less by those who have traveled long in life's pathway, and would fain rest from their labors; but when the young die so many hopes die with them, that we are at a loss to understand the crushing blow. We dare not "reason why," but can only submit to the inevitable, consoled by the sublime faith, that He who controls our destinies is kind and merciful.

Charley made a brave fight for his life, and for eighteen long months grappled with that grim destroyer, consumption, a disease which does not often wait the ripened graff to seize its prey, but cuts many a fair and lovely blossom down.

He was born May 17, 1880, and was a young man of unusual promise. From early childhood he was a manly boy, planning his future, and working for hmself. He had already laid the foundations for a successful business carer. He possessed the sterling qualities that make for good citizenship, and the sweet and gracious ones that count for so much in the home life. With his going goes much of the light and joy of a hitherto unbroken, happy household. His heart yearned towards the dear ones, who have ministered to comfort, during the long, weary months of his illness. He would fain have lived for their sake, but when he knew that this could not be, he conquered death like a hero, was ready and anxious to go, and sank into his last sleep, full of peace, and it can truly be said of him as of the young man of old; "It is well." May the all compassionate One send comfort to the stricken hearts of parents and brothers. H.

OFF

Will Come Celestial Heads.

Execution Day

Has Been Agreed Upon Finally.

Tomorrow the Murder of the Foreigners by the Boxer Fiends

Will be Averged by the Death of the Murderers. Evacuation of Pekin Urged by Russia.

London, Feb. 25.—The war office has received the following dispatch from Lord Kitchener, dated at Middleburg, Transvaal: "French reports from Piet Retief, Feb. 22, that the result of the columns sweeping the country east is that the Boers are retreating in scattered and disorganized parties to the number of some 5,000, in front of him. Amsterdam and Piet Retief have been occupied, and troops are protecting the Swazi frontier. French will push on, but is much hampered by the continuous heavy rains. Plumer reports that Colonel Owen captured Dewet's 15 pounder and pompom Feb. 23, as well as 53 prisoners and a quantity of ammunition. We had no casualties. Enemy in full retreat and dispersing, being vigorously pursued. Dewet's attempt to invade Cape Colony evidently completely failed."

London, Feb. 25.—A correspondent of the Daily Mail, with Henniker's column, wires from Cape Colony as follows:

"General Dewet was routed Friday by Colonel Plumer, with whom were Colonels Henniker, Craddock, Jeffreys and Grabbe. General Dewet, after unsuccessfully attempting to cross the Brak at Klip drift and the Orange at Reads drift and Marks drift, moved along the bank of the Orange with one gun and one pompom and laagered opposite Kameel drift. At dawn Colonel Plumer left Welgievordon, 22 miles west of the Boer camp and moved northwest.

"At Zuurgat he attacked the Boers, taking 40 prisoners. The pursuit was continued during the afternoon, the Boers moving toward Hopetown. Toward evening the leading troops sighted the burghers, who had laagered beyond range. Colonel Owen charged the spot where the Boer artillery was supposed to be and captured the whole of it. The burghers fled, leaving their horses ready saddled and their cooking pots full. According to the latest reports only 400 Boers recrossed to the north side of the river. The Orange river is greatly swollen."

Boer and British Losses.

London, Feb. 25.—Lord Kitchener reports as follows: "Summary of total losses inflicted upon the enemy up to Feb. 16: Boers known to have been killed and wounded in action, 292; taken prisoners, 56; surrendered, 183; one 15 pounder gun, 462 rifles, 160,000 rounds of small ammunition, 5,500 horses, 70 mules, 3,530 trek oxen, 18,700 cattle, 155,400 sheep and 1,070 wagons and carts captured. Our casualties: Five officers and 41 men killed, and four officers and 108 men wounded. I regret to say that Major Howard, a very gallant officer of the Canadian scouts, was killed Feb. 17."

Dewet's Force Scattered.

Cape Town, Feb. 25.—Colonel Plumer engaged General Dewet near Disselfontein, on the south bank of the Orange river, capturing a gun and a pompom, and taking 50 prisoners. The Boers were scattered and are being pursued by Colonel Plumer. It is reported that General Dewet escaped to the opposite bank in a boat and is now fleeing with a handful of followers. It is reported from a Boer source at Zeerust that General Delarey has been captured.

Steyn's Alleged Address.

London, Feb. 25.—The Daily Telegraph publishes the following from De Aar, dated Feb. 24: "Mr. Steyn, addressing the Boers, told them they must all shift for themselves, returning to Orange River colony as best they could. He and General Dewet took 300 of the best horses with which to escape."

Victims of Plague.

Cape Town, Feb. 25.—A white child died here of bubonic plague, and three white children have been attacked by the disease. A white man is suffering with the plague at Woodstock.

Carrie Wants Out.

Topeka, Feb. 25.—Mrs. Carrie Nation, tiring of jail life, has written Judge Hazen a letter demanding release. "I want you to quit your fooling," she writes, "and let me out of here. If you cause me to miss my engagements, I won't feel like a ministering angel unto you. You know you are persecuting one of God's children. Let me out that I may go about my business of saving such poor devils as you." Judge Hazen has ignored the letter. Letters have been received from all parts of the country threatening the judge.

Seven Asphyxiated.

Paris, Feb. 25.—At the home for old men in Noisy Le Sec seven pensioners were found dead from asphyxiation. Two others were barely alive, but there is a hope of saving them. It is supposed that the casualty was caused by a defective chimney.

Colonel Pollock.

Portland, Or., Feb. 25.—Colonel Robert L. Pollock, 82, United States army, retired, is dead at Cornelius, Washington county. He was a veteran of the Mexican and civil wars, and had engaged in many Indian campaigns in the west.

DEADLOCK

Has Been Broken in Oregon.

John W. Mitchell Returned to the Senate.

His Election Occurred on Twenty-fifth Ballot on the Forty-third Day of the Session.

Salem, Or., Feb. 25.—John H. Mitchell was elected United States Senator to succeed John W. McBride, whose term expires on March 4 next. His election was accomplished by a combination of 35 Republicans with 11 Democrats, making 46 votes, the majority necessary to elect. The result was reached on the twenty-fifth ballot of the day and the forty-third of the session. The close of the long struggle was exciting. Mr. Mitchell has served three full terms in the United States senate from Oregon, having been elected the first time in 1873, when H. W. Corbett was his chief opponent.

TWO

Prizes Drawn This Morning.

Two Prisoners

Get Two Years Each in the Ohio Pen.

Both Blame the Drink Habit for Their Present Predicament.

The Crowder Perjury Case is Taken Up and Three Prisoners are Brought Here from Columbus to Testify.

This morning at 9:30 o'clock Charles Burns, convicted of grand larceny, and Ed. Shultz, who pleaded guilty to a charge of burglary, were taken before Judge Cunningham to receive their respective sentences. Burns was first asked what if anything, he had to say and he replied that he was very sorry what had happened and assurred the court that he would never indulge in intoxicating dring again as he was sure he would not have committed the crime had he been sober. He received a sentence to two years imprisonment in the penitentiary.

Burns will be remembered as the man who, after having ridden about town for some time with Albert Heffner, who lives east of the city, accompanied the latter to Fisher & Son's livery barn on west Spring street and took charge of the check for Mr. Heffner's horse and buggy. Later in the evening he slipped away from Heffner and returning to the livery barn he secured the harse and buggy and left the city. He disposed of the horse and buggy for about one tenth of the amount of their real value at Findlay and had not yet disposed of all the proceeds of his crime when he was arrested and brought back to this city. He leaves a wife and an infant child at Findlay.

A Boy Burglar.

Ed. Shultz assured Judge Cunningham that he would not have attempted burglary or any other crime had he not been drunk and he promised that the result of this his first felony would teach him a lesson he would never forget. His attorney, J. D. Armstrong, made an eloquent plea to the court for leniency, calling the court's attention to the fact that the prisoner was not yet 19 years of age and that leniency would encourage reformation now if ever. The prisoner received the same sentence that was given Burns—two years imprisonment in the penitentiary.

Shultz was arrested in this city a few months ago, by patroleman Clint Seeds, for attempting to rob the Broker clothing store in he Donze block on south Main street. He had just broken one of the windows in the rear of the store and was in the act of entering the place wheln he was freightened away by Mr. Donze, who in his room above, had been awakened by the crashing of the window glass. Shultz's partner, a man named Young, was acquitted.

The Crowder Perjury Case.

After the two prisoners, Burns and Shultz had been sentenced and remanded to jail, the case of the state against John Crowder, the colored man who was indicted for purjury, came up again for trial and the attorneys for both sides announced that they were ready to proceed but before a jury was qualified the regular venire was exhausted and the court took a recess until 1 o'clock this afternoon to give the sheriff's deputies sufficient time to summon six additional jurors.

The allegations in the case against Crowder are perhaps still fresh in the minds of the Times-Democrat readers. Crowder was a witness to the defense in the case of the state against John Cree, who, in April, 1900, was arrested for stealing some rope and other oil well supplies from a lease near Lafayette and it is charged that the colored man committed perjury while giving his testimony in the trial that was held in May of the same year. Cree was convicted on the charge of grand larceny and was sent to the penitentiary. His partner in the crime, Henry Huffman, pleaded guilty and was sent to the penitentiary to serve a term of two and one half years, and a man named Dave Crumrine was convicted of having committed perjury in the same case and was given a term of four years for the crime. Cree, Huffman and Crumrine were all brought here from the penitentiary last night, in charge of two guards, having been subpoenaed by the state as witnesses in the case against Crowder. The jury was qualified this afternoon and the trial is now in on trial. Motter, Mackenzie & Weadock are defending the accused.

FLYING

Before the Troops of General Kitchener's Command.

Dewet was Out Generaled

And His Invasion of Cape Colony is Destined to Prove a Dismal Failure. General Botha's Army is Also Badly Disorganized.

Pekin, Feb. 25.—The full text of the imperial edict regarding punishments was sent to the ministers of the powers. The ministers regard the punishment edict as satisfactory. Cail Sin, former grand secretary, and Han Cheng Yu, son of the notorious Hsu Tung, will be publicly executed in Peking Tuesday. An edict has been promulgated suspending examinations at all points which were the scenes of outrages against foreigners.

It is intended to guard the men at the place of execution, so as to prevent suicide or escape. When official confirmation, duly certified by high officers of state, of the sentences of death upon the others shall have been received and these two have been executed, China will have practically complied with the terms demanded by the powers, as she has already agreed to issue edicts prepared by the ministers of the powers for the cessation of examinations, and regarding the responsibility of viceroys and governors.

Prince Chun, the emperor's brother, will soon go to Berlin to express China's regrets for the murder of Baron Von Ketteler. He says China has now accepted to the uttermost and also performed everything required by the powers, except the payment of the indemnities, the amount of which has not been decided. He thinks arrangements should be made for the evacuation of Peking in order to enable the court to return.

No official announcement has been made of the abandonment of the proposed expedition into the interior, but it is not likely that any further preparations will be made. The foreign envoys feel that the proposal was a master stroke and caused the settlement of what might have been a protracted affair.

Why the Coup Failed.

Paris, Feb. 25.—On the anniversary of the attempt at a coup d'etat by M. Paul De Roulede and Marcel Habert at the Neuilly barracks, on the occasion of the funeral of M. Faure, and also the anniversary of the sentence to five years' banishment imposed upon M. Marcel Habert, many of their sympathizers went to San Sebastian, where the two exiles are residing. M. De Roulede delivered a long address. He asserted that he and M. Marcel Habert were approached, on the night before the attempted coup, by an agent of the Duke of Orleans, who proposed that the duke should appear in the midst of the ranks in time to participate in the projected action. M. De Roulede replied that if any royalist, especially the Duke of Orleans, should attempt to take part, he (De Roulede) would be the first to turn the troops against him. On the following morning it was found that the arrangement of the troops had been so changed that the coup would fail; and he declares that the royalists effected this change when they learned that he would not aid their cause.

THE OLD RELIABLE.

Piano Facts.

The goods are here—that's sure;

The prices are low—that's true;

The styles are attractive—that's evident;

The guarantee is solid — that's safety;

The saving is generous — that's profit;

The wise buyer—that's you, wont forget these facts.

The line consists of Stecks, Fisher, Everett, Harvard, Willington, Royal, Haines, Knabe and numerous other makes. Here's another clincher. We have two good second-hand square pianos in use but a short time at great bargains; also ten second-hand organs, 6 octaves from $20. up. Don't fail to see these organs at the price we have put them. They are sure to move quick.

Talking Machines.

Graphophones and Edison Phonographs. $5.00 will buy a fine Graphophone. Come in and hear them. Complete stock of the latest records; largest and best stock in the city.

Just received 1500 new records. We are strictly in the music business in every particular. We will save you big money on anything in the musical line.

Pianos to Rent.

We have a first class tuner, Chas. O'Hanon. Call and see us.

B. S. PORTER & SON,
141 South Main St., Lima, O.
134 North Main St., Findlay, O.

THE WEATHER.

Washington, Feb. 25.—For Ohio, partly cloudy tonight and probably Tuesday; rising temperature in central and southern portions tonight.

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Cleanse Your Blood

The cause of all spring humors, pimples and eruptions, as well as of that tired feeling and poor appetite, is found in impure, depleted blood

The perfect blood purifier is Hood's Sarsaparilla, as multitudes know by experience.

It cures all blood diseases, from the smallest pimple to the stubborn scrofula sore — from morning tiredness to extreme nervous prostration.

Begin taking it TODAY

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Is America's Greatest Spring Medicine. Be sure to get Hood's.

LOW FARE TO WASHINGTON

For First Presidential Inaugration of Twentieth Century.

Excursion tickets to Washington will be sold via Pennsylvania Lines March 1st, 2d and 3d, 1901, with return limit on all tickets including March 8th.

The inauguration of President McKinley on March 4th will be the first event of that kind in the new century, and will attract visitors from all over the country. The ceremonies will be impressive and the parade and festivities will be of an unusual character interesting to all

The rate to Washington made by the Pennsylvania Lines at the low fare on through trains of modern railroad equipment. For details about fares and train service apply to nearest Pennsylvania Lines Ticket Agent

PNEUMONIA CAN BE CURED.

This dangerous disease always results from a cold or an attack of grip and may be prevented by the timely use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy That remedy was extensively used during the epidemics of la grippe of the past few years and not a single case has ever been reported that did not recover of that resulted in pneumonia, which shows it to be a certain preventive of that dangerous disease. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has gained a world wide reputation for its cures of colds and grip For sale by all druggists

BIG LITERATURE.

Ephemeral Writing Dying Out—Immortal Works Are Coming.

Certain critics predict that we shall come in sight of the great novels soon. They say that the trail is warm and that the footprints are large A great deal of clamor arises here and there and publishers are holding up jackrabbits for deer, but great game is not yet in sight Seriously, it is a question whether present tendencies are conducive to the making of immortal works in literature To be brilliant nowadays is to be successful, even if not great. A striking or unusual plot, a new and startling style and extensive advertising by shrewd publishers combined with an element of luck, insure the author good financial returns and some reputation These are not small stakes, and when it is being demonstrated that works of little value can secure them, it is a strong temptation to literary workers to leave serious and more plodding efforts for sound money and ephemeral fame They go hunting after the abnormal and the novel incidents with no great thread of truth to string them on. They are not sincere They have their eyes on the manuscript, but their ears are erect to catch the crying demands of the reading public Some authors dash off novels as they would dash off topical songs, and the novels show about as much reflection as the songs. One day the public wants one thing, and another day it wants another thing, and we have fads and fashions in literature as we have in clothes and summer drinks Romantic literature has the stage now—the flashing blade the picturesque duel, the hero that laughs at a dozen opponents and bows gracefully to a pretty woman between victims We cannot have a great literature until authors can take their work seriously and their gifts seriously, until they can forego present rewards and strive for their highest attainment —Indianapolis News

HAD TO CONQUER OR DIE.

"I was just about gone," writes Mrs. Rora Richardson, of Laurel Springs, N C, "I had consumption so bad that the best doctors said I could not live more than a month, but I began to use Dr King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by seven bottles and am now stout and well" It's an unrivaled life-saver in consumption, pneumonia, la grippe and bronchitis; infallible for coughs, colds, asthma, hay fever, croup or whooping cough. Guaranteed bottles 50 cents and $1.00 Trial bottles free at H F. Vortkamp's drug store, cor. Main and North sts.

A STEAM WAGON.

A PATENT OBTAINED FOR NEW CARRIAGE.

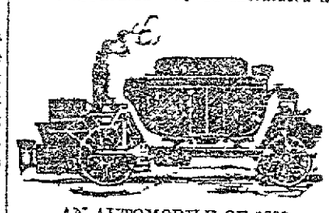
Twenty-Seven Feet in Length and May Carry Three Tons of Merchandise—For Use on England's Perfect Country Roads.

(London Letter)

An inventor in Brompton-Crescent has obtained a patent for a wagon to be propelled by steam upon common roads The carriage is twenty-seven feet in length, including seven feet for the fire, boiler, cylinder and the mechanism connected with the driving wheels. Instead of an axletree passing through both the front or both the hind wheels, as is usual in other carriages, the axis merely passes through the nave of each wheel sufficiently to support on each side uprights, which strengthen and connect the frame of the wagon. The direction of the carriage is effected by the action of a bevel pinion connected with a spindle, which is governed by the coachman this pinion acts on a wheel whose movements compel those of certain iron braces fixed to the exterior of the front wheels, which turn upon the same spot where they touch the ground so much power is gained by this pinion that little force is required from the coachman to produce the necessary direction There are two safety valves calculated at fifty pounds upon a square inch while every part of the steam apparatus has been proved at the rate of 500 pounds upon a square inch The steam is conducted into two condensers formed of flat copper tubes that part of the steam which is condensed falling to the bottom of the condenser is conveyed to the reservoir of water for further use while the uncondensed steam is conducted through the chimney and here extinguishes such sparks as may occasionally find their way from the charcoal combined with coke of which the fire is made

The fire, placed under the boiler, is surrounded by iron plates and so far removed from the part of the carriage destined for goods that no possible danger can be apprehended

The weight of the carriage and the whole apparatus may be calculated at



AN AUTOMOBILE OF 1823

one and a half tons, it is destined to carry three tons of merchandise making a total of four and a half tons upon wheels conformable to the regulations established by law and subject to the usual restrictions

The first steam wagon ever built was constructed in Yonkers N Y in 1823 A picture of it appears above

Uncle Sam's Treasure Cart.

On the streets of Washington almost any day there can be seen a wagon loaded with $1,000,000 or more in cash or with thousands of dollars' worth of stamps and quantities of priceless paper used in the printing of money. This is the United States Treasury's cash wagon. As the route traversed by this daily conveyancer of money lies in a comparatively unfrequented part of the city and bordering a great park great care is taken to prevent its being robbed. The wagon is of bullet proof steel, and is constructed in a manner to present great resistance to a forcible attack It opens at one end by the removal of immense steel bars, and the unlocking of an intricate system of safety locks In addition to the immunity from robbery afforded by the steel casting and the heavy locks and bars, the wagon has the protection of an armed guard, which accompanies it at all times when valuables are aboard Four men, in addition to the driver, usually go with the conveyance They carry big navy revolvers on their persons, and several Winchester rifles are ready at hand under the driver's seat. While the money is being loaded and unloaded at the Treasury building or at the bureau of engraving and printing the escort guard is augmented by the presence of watchmen from the building, who stand around in an unostentatious way, but ready for business.

Costumes for Congo Belles.

The postal authorities at Brussels have lately noticed that the mail bags dispatched to the Congo were not being duly returned, and after a lot of trouble they have discovered the reason. It appears that the colored postmen in the Congo Free State make presents of the mail bags to their wives or fiances These ladies simply cut out the bottom, and by drawing what is left over their heads, and with the assistance of a piece of string, they have an ultra-modern ready-made costume The fact that the sacks are furnished with an enormous black seal bearing the legend, "Brussels-Center," does not disconcert them in the least

Delaware's Cat-o'-Nine-Tails.

The state authorities of Delaware are inclined to abolish the whipping post for offenders. The people in the rural districts are, however, in favor of it, as they believe that the small percentage of burglaries and similar offenses in the state is due to the cat-o'-nine-tails infliction. It seems as if the whipping post was planted among the blue hen's chickens to stay.

SORES AND ULCERS.

Sores and Ulcers never become chronic unless the blood is in poor condition—is sluggish, weak and unable to throw off the poisons that accumulate in it. The system must be relieved of the unhealthy matter through the sore, and great danger to life would follow should it heal before the blood has been made pure and healthy and all impurities eliminated from the system. S S S begins the cure by first cleansing and invigorating the blood, building up the general health and removing from the system all morbid, effete matter. **A CONSTANT DRAIN UPON THE SYSTEM.** When this has been accomplished the discharge gradually ceases, and the sore or ulcer heals It is the tendency of these old indolent sores to grow worse and worse, and eventually to destroy the bones. Local applications, while soothing and to some extent alleviate pain cannot reach the seat of the trouble S S S does, and no matter how apparently hopeless your condition, even though your constitution has broken down, it will bring relief when nothing else can. It supplies the rich, pure blood necessary to heal the sore and nourish the debilitated, diseased body

Mr J B Talbert, Lock Box 25, Winona Miss, says "Six years ago my leg from the knee to the foot was one solid sore Several physicians treated me and I made two trips to Hot Springs, but found no relief I was induced to try S S S, and it made a complete cure I have been a perfectly well man ever since"

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Mr M. O Connell of 670 north Jackson street says. "For many years I suffered from my back and kidneys, I felt tired out and run down all the time and though I doctored and doctored it gave me no relief to speak of There was an extreme weakness of the kidneys and the secretions were irregular and unnatural. I read statements of people who had gotten Doan's Kidney Pills from Melville's drug store and who had been cured by their use, so I decided to give them a trial. The first box did me so much good that I continued the treatment and although I am an old man the trouble ceased to bother me"

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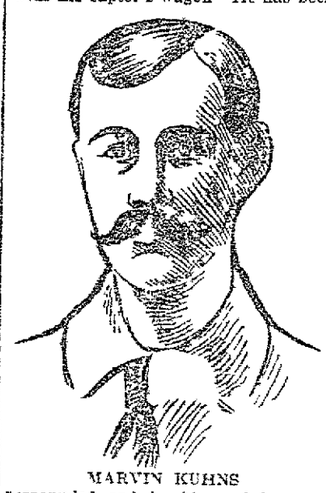
A MODERN TURPIN.

MARVIN KUHNS TERRORIZED TWO STATES.

Has Committed Every Offense, from Petty Larceny to Murder—Horsestealing His Favorite Occupation — His Escapes.

The escaped criminal, Marvin Kuhns, who was captured the other day in Indiana and returned to the Ohio penitentiary at Columbus, from which he had unexpectedly made his departure, may properly be called the Modern Dick Turpin Horse thief, jail bird, bandit, murderer, and outlaw, he has had a career of crime and escapes that puts the dime novelist to shame Every crime from the taking of another's property to the killing of a human being can be properly charged against him. He has escaped again and again He has attacked an officer with his manacled hands and driven away with his captor's wagon He has been



MARVIN KUHNS

surrounded and by his cool bravado forced his pursuers to open a free passage He has stood off sheriff's posses and shot them down He has driven judge, officers and witnesses from a court room and walked out unmolested In short his daring has equated his wickedness He is only 30 years old and his desperate lawless career in highly civilized communities has few parallels He was a bad boy, and since his seventeenth year there has been no time in which he has not been a prisoner or hunted by the officers of the law He has served ten years on a life sentence

Criminal Environment in Youth

Noble county was the rendezvous sixty years ago of horse thieves and counterfeiters Traditions of their exploits linger to this day and are calculated to influence wild imaginative, novel-reading boys In his youth Kuhns became a thief and bully and a band of other turbulent spirits gathered about him as their leader The township in which he lived is dotted with small lakes which are surrounded by forests and these furnished his safe hiding places when pursued When he was seventeen years old he stole a horse Lodged in jail he plotted with another criminal to escape They attacked the sheriff, beat him into senselessness, took his keys and escaped Three officers cornered him but he knocked down two and eluded the third Ultimately he was captured and sent to the prison at Michigan City for two years After serving this term he went to Ohio stole and sold horses, was caught after a while and brought before a justice The bandit listened to the evidence quietly for an hour At an opportune moment he slowly rose from his seat and drew a revolver from each bootleg At the point of these weapons he commanded justice, constables, witnesses and spectators to move into an adjoining room, they went pell-mell. He then locked them in, concealed his revolvers and strolled out, making good his escape

Kuhns was once captured by two officers near Columbus, and one of his captors named Mahoney, undertook the duty of driving him to that city to be lodged in jail Mahoney had his prisoner handcuffed, but did not know his man They rode side by side in a buggy The desperado waited quietly until the officer's attention was diverted Then he sprang to his feet and struck Mahoney a terrific blow on the head The officer was stunned, and Kuhns, after dumping his captor into the road, took his horse and carriage and drove off, making good his escape

Held Up His Captor

On another occasion the bandit was arrested on the streets of Huntington, Ind He accompanied the marshal without any show of resistance, but at the door of the jail he threw off the mask of meekness Whipping out a revolver he made the officer back up against the wall and hold up his hands The desperado backed away some distance and took to his heels The marshal started in pursuit, firing his revolver as he ran, but the daring criminal escaped the bullets and fled to safety.

It was Kuhns' lot to be in jail in southern Michigan at one time, but he broke out and started for Indiana On the way he turned burglar, entered farmhouse and stole the wedding suit of a young man who was to be married the next day The disconsolate swain and his friends started in pursuit, overtook the thief on the highway and surrounded him When the came uncomfortably close the fugitive displayed his ever-ready weapon and shouted·

"Better make a gap in that circle unless some of you want to get hurt."

The gap was made, and the thief went his way without further molestation. He occasionally visited his father and did a little work on the paternal farm.

His Last Escape.

About ten years ago he was convicted of the murder of William Campu near Fostoria, O., and sentenced to the penitentiary for life, but he was not imprisoned until he had made one escape, engaged in a deadly fight and had been wounded. In November of last year he was taken to the boiler-room of the prison to make some repairs, which on account of his mechanical skill he was frequently called upon to do Being left alone a few minutes he crawled out of a coal hole, reached the sidewalk and started for liberty. His old habits immediately came into play for he needed a suit of citizen's clothes to take the place of his striped and conceal his identity as a jail bird. After going a short distance his practiced eye noticed a house whose curtains indicated that the family was absent. He unhesitatingly broke into it, changed his prison garb for a new ready-made suit and came forth well disguised He got out of the neighborhood of the penitentiary as quickly as possible, stole a horse and buggy from a farmer's barn and drove overland for his old haunts A reward of $1,250 was offered for his capture by the Ohio authorities Finally one day last week he was overpowered by a number of officers but not before he had shot two of them

ALL GIRLS CAN GET MARRIED

Matrimonial Prizes Have Made Business Lively in Servia

A remarkable state of affairs exists just now in Servia and especially in the capital Belgrade For the past year or so what are called marriage societies' have been springing up like mushrooms These societies undertake to pay each member of six months standing who has punctually paid all monthly dues a sum of from $200 to $300 on the production of satisfactory proof of his or her legal marriage These glittering promises caused the membership of the societies to increase with astonishing rapidity A good many persons joined several societies, and in some cases the claims of the newly married pair amount to $600 or $1 000 is both bride and groom belong to eight or ten societies Recently the rush to the altar has been especially large From 120 to 170 weddings occur every Sunday in Belgrade The supply of marriageable girls is now running short In a little while it seems that there will be no girls or widows either Hence a feminine immigration is to be expected There are plenty of men left for all through the Balkan states the male births greatly outnumber the female Just now the priests have their hands full and are reaping a rich harvest of wedding fees But the days of the marriage societies are apparently numbered, for they cannot long stand the drain made upon them

A MISSIONARY 60 YEARS.

Rev Dr Elias Riggs the oldest missionary of the American board died in Constantinople a few days ago He

REV. DR ELIAS RIGGS

had been in the service of the American board sixty-nine years. Dr Riggs was born in New Providence, N J, in 1810 His predilection for linguistic studies was shown very early, for he was studying Greek and Latin when he was nine years of age, and Hebrew at thirteen Entering Amherst college in 1826, before he was fifteen years old, he graduated before he was nineteen After the three years at the Andover Theological seminary he received at once, in 1832, appointment as a missionary of the American board and his twenty-second birthday was passed while crossing the Atlantic, on his way first to Manta and then to Greece During his long and laborious life he has wrought principally for four distinct races the Greeks, Armenians, Bulgarians and Turks The three works which will remain as his special monument are the translations of the bible into Armenian, Bulgarian and Turkish, in which he bore a principal part.

Mammoth Paris Kitchen.

Perhaps the largest kitchen in the world is that in the Bon Marche, Paris Its kitchen staff consists of 60 cooks and 100 kitchen boys It provides food for 4,000 employes of the house It has 50 frying pans, each of which holds 300 cutlets at a time It has a coffee machine that makes 750 quarts of coffee daily, the smallest kettle holds 75 quarts For the one item of omelets on the daily bill of fare 7,800 eggs are used, the omelets being served only at breakfast

Standing Timber in Our Country.

A report will be issued from Washington soon which estimates that the standing timber in the United States covers an area of 1,094,496 square miles and contains a supply of 2,300,000,000,000 feet.

STRONG CHARACTER.

WAS REV. FEE, WHO DIED RECENTLY,

Disinherited for His Abolition Utterances, He Remained True to His Convictions—The Founder of Berea, Kentucky, College.

One of the strong characters of antebellum days passed away recently in the person of John G Fee, founder of Berea College in Kentucky In early life he presumed that slavery was wrong Rather than abandon this conviction and recede from his early formed purpose to aid in bringing about the freedom of the blacks, he forsook home, incurred parental ill will, struggled for years against the enmity of his former friends and bent his back to receive the lash which only respect for his courage prevented falling Eventually he saw the hopes of his early years fulfilled and lived long enough to see old prejudices and

REV JOHN G FEE.

hatreds mellowed by the softening touch of time and to enjoy the esteem of those who once reviled him His early days were turbulent His final years were peaceful and if there was aught of vanity in his composition he could contemplate with pride the noble monument to his zeal and fortitude which he himself erected—Berea College in Madison county, Ky Years ago it was a rallying point for racial prejudice to-day it is regarded throughout the South as one of its most beneficent institutions from which there graduate annually 500 blacks and white mountaineers who go forth to lives of usefulness

A Slave Holder's Son.

Fee was born in Bracken county, Ky, September 9 1816 His father owned a dozen slaves but the son after passing through Lane Theological Seminary became a pronounced abolitionist. His father disinherited him and when he preached anti-slavery doctrines the church authorities dismissed him With his young wife he wandered hither and thither in Kentucky, preaching where he could get hearers and taking shelter wherever it could be found His father years before had given him a tract of land This he now sold, not to use its proceeds for his material welfare, but to purchase the freedom of a slave In 1853 Cassius M Clay the lion-hearted old Kentuckian the vicissitudes of whose latter years have aroused no small amount of pity for him invited Fee to preach in Madison county, where he gave him a farm Here he founded a school—the original Berea College It was only a small frame structure but humble as it was it proved fertile ground for the seeds which Fee sowed Its work began in 1855, and Fee had the assistance of several teachers from Oberlin College After a time prominent families sent their sons and daughters there It was closed during the war

At the close of the war the school was reopened and a charter as a college was obtained Negroes were admitted Nevertheless the college flourished and there was no friction between white and black students To-day Berea has property which with an endowment of $100,000, makes the assets of the college fully $300,000 Fourteen teachers are employed and their experiences with the children of the Kentucky mountains are most interesting Most of the pupils who are not black

THE FIRST BUILDING OF BEREA COLLEGE.

belong to the families of mountaineers whose dialect and customs are the bases of many entertaining tales and the polishing of whose roughness requires no small amount of patience

American Cotton for Africa.

The arrangements for introducing the American cotton plant into German West Africa are practically complete In accordance with an arrangement made with planters in Alabama an American expert, with two American farmers and a mechanic has left the coast for Tagoland They will be accompanied by 150 carriers and workmen, who will join them in Lorne The expedition is under the protection of the German government. The funds expended so far amount to about $20,000, and the Berlin Colonial economic committee has promised to give further aid to the enterprise.

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Do you need irritable and out of sorts? Your stomach is weak and does not properly digest your food You need Hostetter's Stomach Bitters It will drive away all irregularities of the digestive system such as indigestion, constipation and biliousness. It quickly relieves sourness of the stomach, belching or flatulency It is an excellent general tonic See that our Private Stamp cover the neck of the bottle

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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

Estate of Eliza A R [illegible] ed

The undersigned [illegible] and qualified as adm[illegible] estate of Eliza A R [illegible] Allen county Ohio deceased

Dated this 8th day of [illegible] D, 1901

THOMAS B [illegible]
Adm

97-3wks

NOTICE TO LAKE DEPOSITORS

State of Ohio [illegible]
John G Dodge and [illegible] nal partners do business [illegible] the firm name of Dodge [illegible] nard Plaintiffs

vs

C Granger and [illegible] Banks are winding business [illegible] of C Granger & Co [illegible]

Before L L Duhan [illegible] place in and for Ottawa [illegible] said court and at [illegible]

The above named [illegible] take notice that on [illegible] 15th day of March A D [illegible] plaintiffs above named [illegible] depositors of plaintiffs [illegible] agents and creditors [illegible] used as evidence [illegible] above cause in the [illegible] the office of Oscar [illegible] town New Hampshire [illegible] of Hillsborough in the [illegible] Hampshire between the [illegible] eight o'clock a m and [illegible] p m on said day and [illegible] of the same will be [illegible] day to day between the [illegible] until they are completed

KENT [illegible]
Attorney for Plaintiffs

Feb 15 3wks

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

Estate of Jacob P Ward deceased

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Jacob P Ward late of Allen county, Ohio deceased

Dated this 15th day of January A D. 1901

W J RICHIE Administrator

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

Estate of Edward Morris deceased

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as executor of the estate of Edward Morris late of Sugar Creek township Allen county Ohio deceased

Dated this 18th day of February A D 1901

JOHN B MORRIS

LEGAL NOTICE

In the Common Pleas Court of Allen County, Ohio

National Supply Company Plaintiff

vs

L E Bloomfield et al Defendants

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned have been appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Allen county, Ohio, as receivers of all the property of L E Bloomfield in a case pending in said court wherein the National Supply Company is plaintiff and L E. Bloomfield et al are defendants All persons having any property or assets of said L E Bloomfield are directed by the Court to turn over the said property to the undersigned, all persons having debts against the said L E Bloomfield are requested to make due proof of the same as required by law

M P COLT and CHARLES GESSELCHEN, Receivers of L E Bloomfield

Cable & Parmenter, Attorneys

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Notice of Appointment.

Estate of Peter Jacobs deceased

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as executor of the estate of Peter Jacobs late of Allen County Ohio deceased

Dated this 21st day of February A D 1901

JOHN W JACOBS
Executor

Notice of Appointment.

Estate of Mary M Rost deceased

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Mary M Rost, late of Allen County, Ohio, deceased

Dated this 20th day of February A D 1901.

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VICTIMS

Gathered in the Grim Reapers Harvest.

Miss Lulu L. Good Dies at the City Hospital.

Suffered from Typhoid Fever for Four Weeks—Frances Rummel Dies at the Advanced age of Eighty-three.

Miss Lulu L. Good, an estimable young lady and a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Obedish Good, of 1138 west High street died in the city hospital at 6 o'clock Sunday morning, death resulting from typhoid fever. The young lady had been ill for four weeks and was taken to the hospital last Thursday. She was born at Delphos and would, had she survived have reached the age of 19 years during the next month. She was for some time employed at A. S. Bower's bakery and dining rooms and was a popular favorite among a wide circle of friends. Funeral services will be held at the West Lima Mission church at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning and the remains will be interred in the Dutch Hollow cemetery.

FRANCIS RUMMEL,

an aged and retired farmer, who has for some time made his home among the members of his family, died at the home of one of his daughters, at 834 Maple Lane, at 4:30 o'clock Sunday morning, death resulting from lung trouble after an illness of one week's duration. The deceased was born in Columbiana county and reached the advanced age of 83 years. His wife preceded him to the realm beyond the grave.

Today the remains were taken to the old home of the deceased east of West Cairo and tomorrow at 11 o'clock, (sun time) the funeral will be held from the Methodist church at Rockport.

TO THE PUBLIC.

The board of Associated Charities is in need of funds to meet the demands of the worthy poor in our midst. By order of the board the secretary has sent 375 personal appeals for contributions, but no more than twenty-five have responded as yet. We highly appreciate the contributions made, but these have been insufficient to meet the urgent demands and unless more money is received within a very short time, we will be compelled to refuse those who are suffering and in need.

Contributions may be sent to H. S. Prophet, president, Holmes block; Gus Kalb, treasurer, Opera House block, or Mrs. E. B. Sereff, secretary, 136 east High street.

There will be a called meeting of the board next Friday evening at 7 o'clock in the board of education rooms, at which time all bills presented will be allowed. A full attendance is expected.

MRS. E. B. SEREFF, Sec'y.

STATE MEETING

Of the Ohio Sabbath Association Held in Dayton.

Rev. John V. Potts, corresponding secretary of the Ohio Sabbath Association whose official headquarters are in this city, furnishes the following report of the state meeting of that organization:

The Ohio Sabbath Association met in Dayton, Ohio, in the first U. B. C. church, February 21st, 1901, and continued over Thursday closing the evening of the 22nd inst. There were about fifty delegates present with also a small attendance of the local or city contingent. The papers and discussions were valuable and interesting. Most of the speakers were present, but as is usually the case, some who had promised to be present were absent. The state was reorganized, and it was decided to publish the minutes if funds can be secured to cover expenses. The following are the officers chosen: President, Rev. J. B. McMichael, D. D., dean; first vice president, Rev. H. A. Thompson, D. D. LL. D., Dayton; second vice president, Rev. E. C. Simpson, D. D., Bellefontaine; third vice president, Rev. S. W. McFadden, Warren; fourth vice president, Homer J. Smith, Ironton; fifth vice president, Rev. W. O. Thompson, D. D., Columbus; sixth vice president, Rev. D. H. Bauslin, D. D., Springfield; corresponding secretary, Rev. J. V. Potts, North Robinson; recording secretary and treasurer, Robert Cowden, Dayton. Executive committee, Rev. J. B. McMichael, Rev. H. A. Thompson and Rev. J. V. Potts.

REDUCED RATES

Northwest, West, South and Southeast, via Pennsylvania Lines.

The sale of special fare colonists tickets to California, and settlers' tickets to the Northwest, West, South and Southeast has been resumed via Pennsylvania Lines. Particular information about fares, through time and other details will be furnished upon application. Please call on or address F. M. EAKIN, Ticket Ag't.

A FIREMAN'S CLOSE CALL.

"I stuck to my engine, although every joint ached and every nerve was racked with pain," writes C. W. Bellamy, a locomotive fireman, of Burlington, Iowa, "I was weak and pale, without any appetite and all run down. As I was about to give up, I got a bottle of Electric Bitters, and after taking it, I felt as well as I ever did in my life." Weak, sickly, run down people always gain new life, strength and vigor from their use. Try them. Satisfaction guaranteed by H. F. Vortkamp. Price 50 cents.

More Than 12,000 New Homesteads.

The new country to be opened to settlement this year southwest of Oklahoma is known as the Kiowa country. After all the allotments and school reservations are deducted, it will contain about nine thousand homesteads, and in the Wichita country, which will open at the same time, there will be about 3,400 homesteads.

"I have always used Foley's Honey and Tar cough medicine, and think it the best in the world," says Chas. Bender, a news dealer of Erie, Pa. Nothing else as good.

H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

Manuscript at Mukden.

A scientific expedition is to start from St. Petersburg to examine the immense number of manuscripts discovered at Mukden by Russian troops. In the collection are a large number of Greek and Roman documents, which are supposed to have been taken by the Mongolians on the retreat from the occident. It is believed that the manuscripts are of great value.

All druggists guarantee every bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and will refund the money to anyone who is not satisfied after using two-thirds of the contents. This is the best remedy in the world for lagrippe, coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough and is pleasant and safe to take. It prevents any tendency of a cold to result in pneumonia. nov1-4w

Grecian Queen's Unique Position.

The queen of Greece holds a unique position for, on account of her great love for the sea, the late Emperor Alexander III. of Russia, made her an admiral of the Russian fleet, instead of giving her the customary regiment. Her majesty is the only lady admiral in the world.

White Deer Are Slain.

The white deer were the features of the past deer hunting season in the Adirondacks. Prior to the killing of these no white deer had been killed in New York state for 50 years. Both were pure white bucks, with pink ears and pink eyes.

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cures while the baby sleeps. Mothers, your helpless babies confide in you. Beware of impure medicines! A little mistake will clog their brains and may ruin their lives forever.

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Dr. Bull's Pills cure Constipation.
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MASONIC NOTICE.

A stated communication of Garrett Wykoff Lodge No. 685, F. & A. M., will be held Monday evening Feb. 25, at 7 o'clock. Work in the E. A. degree. W. K. BOONE, W. M.
E. H. Johns, Sec'y.

Don't allow yourself to get behind the times by your watch or clock keeping bad time, but send it to Paul and Bell at once. Jewelers and Opticians, next to Home Restaurant. 3-2t.

A LITTLE KINGDOM.

The Calf of Man Inherited by an American Engineer.

Gerald N. Carey, heir-apparent to the little kingdom of the Calf of Man, who has been at work as an assistant assayer at the Le Roi mine, Rossland, British Columbia, was at the New Markham hotel a day or two ago, stopping in Denver, he said, to make a hurried examination of mining machinery, says the Denver Republican. He is on his way to England and the little island off its coast, which is owned by his uncle, whose heir Mr. Carey is. He registered from Peal, Isle of Man, for the very good reason, he explained, that there is no town or city on the Leg of Man, and also that the family for several years past has spent a great deal of time on the neighboring island, where he was born. "I am going back to Manxland to join my uncle, W. L. Drinkwater Carey, who, through the death of my grandfather, has lately come into ownership of the Leg of Man," said Mr. Carey. "The little island is separated from the Isle of Man by a narrow channel. It is in reality a part of Manxland. In old times the people were the same and their laws and customs and habits of life were identical on both islands. The Calf of Man is much the smaller. My father would have inherited the island, as he was the eldest son, but he died several years ago. I am my uncle's heir, and some day I may be the owner of the island, which we are pleased to call a kingdom, although it is not quite that." W. L. Drinkwater Carey claims to be more than a tenant of the little island. He has entered upon his little kingdom, which is smaller than the principality of Monaco, not as a tenant of the "Lady of Man," who is Queen Victoria, for he claims absolute ownership. The island has been in the possession of the Careys for many generations, coming into the family through a grant from King Edward, as a reward for meritorious service. There is but one inhabited house on the island, the old seat of the Careys, a substantial stone building that is surrounded by 120 acres of cultivated land. The present owner of the Calf of Man has lived most of his life in the United States. He left home thirty-four years ago, and has been a resident of Chicago almost ever since. He returned only a few weeks ago to enter into possession of his kingdom.

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PREY OF FLAMES.

A Number of Buildings Completely Destroyed at Urbana.

Urbana, O., Feb. 25.—Fire started in the Boston department store and spread to adjoining buildings in the center of the city, causing a loss of $75,000. The principal losers are: The Daily Citizen plant, totally destroyed, $15,000; J. K. Cheatham, $5,000; Boston department store, $12,000; National Bank of Urbana, loss to building $5,500; J. P. Berry, grocery, $10,000; Berry estate, $3,000; Rhoades estate, $2,000; J. F. Hogue & Company, stoves and tinware, $1,800; J. B. Hitt & Company, $6,000.

Mexican Joan of Arc.

New York, Feb. 25.—Santa Teresa, the Mexican "Joan of Arc," who was accused of inciting the Yaquis to revolt and who later astonished the Pacific states with her alleged healing powers is in New York on her way to Europe, with the family of Charles Owens of San Francisco. Mr. Owens is associated in business with C. P. Rosenkranz, whose little son she is said to have helped during a recent sickness. Mr. Owens is president of the Bear State Oil company.

Gillett to Return.

Chihuahua, Mexico, Feb. 25.—Grant Gillett, the Kansas City cattleman, whose intention to return to Kansas was announced two or three days ago, left Chihuahua two days ago for Vera Cruz. From there he will go to New York, after which he will immediately go to Kansas City and meet the charges against him. Gillett says he will account satisfactorily for the big cattle mortgages he left unprotected, when he fled to Mexico.

Famine in Russia.

Odessa, Feb. 25.—Several of the Russian provinces are suffering acutely from famine. In the governments of Kherson and Bessarabia tens of thousands are famishing. Amid the additional hardships of the severe winter hunger-typhus is rapidly spreading. In the northern and east Volga provinces the people for two months have been subsisting on roots, grasses and offal, and are now dying of sheer starvation.

Physician's Mishap.

St. Joseph, Mo., Feb. 25.—Dr. T. E. Potter received injuries in a runaway that will cause his death. He was making a professional call, when the coachman lost control of his team and the cab was dashed against a telegraph pole. The physician's skull was crushed. Dr. Potter was one of the prominent physicians of the state.

Sleighing Party Struck.

Elkhart, Ind., Feb. 25.—At Wakarusa, this county, a Wabash passenger train struck a sled containing several persons and killed three and injured one. The dead are: Christian Wagner, 45, farmer; Louis Wagner, 17, his son; Christian Doering, 25. Ernest, another son, sustained severe injuries.

Ibsen's Illness Abating.

Christiania, Feb. 25.—The report cabled to the United States that Henrik Ibsen, the Norwegian poet and Novelist, who has been suffering from influenza had suffered a relapse is unfounded. On the contrary his condition is improving daily.

MARKET REPORTS.

Grain and Stock Prices For Feb. 23.

CHICAGO—Cattle: Good to prime steers, $4 90@6 00; poor to medium, $3 50@4 50; stockers and feeders, $2 75@4 50; cows, $2 50@4 30; heifers, $2 50@4 50; canners, $1 85@2 50; bulls, $2 40@4 20; Texas fed steers, $4 00@4 90; Texas grass steers, $3 30@4 00; Texas bulls, $2 50@3 50. Calves—$4 00@6 50. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, $5 10@5 50; good to choice heavy, $5 35@5 50; rough heavy, $5 25@5 25; light, $5 25@5 45. Sheep and Lambs — Good to choice wethers, $4 00@4 60; fair to choice mixed, $3 00@4 10; western sheep, $4 00@4 60; Texas sheep, $2 50@3 65; native lambs, $4 50@5 25; western lambs, $5 00@5 25. Wheat—No. 2 red, 75@76½c. Corn—No. 2, 36½c. Oats—No. 2, 25¾@26c.

CLEVELAND—Cattle: Good to choice smooth dry fed 1,250 lb. steers and upwards, $4 00@4 80; good to choice smooth dry fed lighter steers, $4 35@4 50; green half fat steers, 900 to 1,200 lbs., $4 00@4 25; fair to best heifers, $3 50@4 25; fair to extra cows, $2 50@3 50; bulls, $3 25@3 75. Sheep and Lambs—Choice to extra handy lambs, $5 45@5 55; fair to good lambs, $5 00@5 40; culls and common, $4 25@4 75; good handy wether sheep, $4 25@4 50; fair to good mixed sheep, $3 75@4 25; culls and common, $2 50@3 25; fair to choice yearlings, $4 25@4 75. Calves—Fair to best, $6 00@7 00. Hogs—Yorkers, mediums and mixed, $5 60.

PITTSBURG—Cattle: Choice, $5 30@5 50; prime, $5 10@5 25; good, $4 75@5 00; tidy butchers, $4 40@4 65; heifers, $3 00@4 00; cows, bulls and stags, $2 50@4 00; fresh cows, $25 00@50 00. Sheep and Lambs—Choice sheep, $4 60@4 75; good, $4 30@4 50; fair, $4 00@4 25; choice lambs, $5 30@5 40; common to good, $4 00@5 25. Hogs—Mediums, $5 65@5 70; best Yorkers, $5 60@5 65; light Yorkers, $5 55@5 60; heavy hogs, $5 60@5 65; pigs, $5 40@5 50.

BUFFALO—Cattle: Exporters, $5 15@5 50; shipping, $4 75@5 15; butchers, $4 25@4 75; cows and heifers, $3 75@4 25; stockers and feeders, $3 25@4 25; bulls, $3 25@4 30. Sheep and Lambs—Best lambs, $5 50@5 60; fair to good, $5 25@5 50; culls and common, $3 50@4 25; mixed sheep, $4 25@4 75; culls and common, $2 75@3 50; yearlings, $4 75@5 00. Calves—$7 00@7 50. Hogs—Pigs and Yorkers, $5 70@5 75; mediums and heavy, $5 60.

NEW YORK—Cattle: Steers, $4 30@5 35; oxen and stags, $4 00@4 25; cows, $1 75@3 85; fat heifers, $4 50. Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, $3 25@4 65; culls, $2 50; lambs, $5 00@5 80; yearlings, $6 00. Calves—Veals, $4 25@8 00. Hogs — $6 65@6 90; choice state hogs, $6 00. Wheat—No. 2 red, 80¾c. Corn—No. 2, 49c. Oats—No. 2, 31c.

CINCINNATI—Wheat: No. 2 red, 79c. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 42c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 27½@28c. Rye—No. 2, 57c. Lard—$7 37½. Bulk Meats—$7 20. Bacon—$8 37½. Hogs—$4 10@5 55. Cattle—$2 25@4 85. Sheep—$1 75@4 10. Lambs—$3 70@5 55.

BOSTON—Wool—Ohio and Pennsylvania fleeces: XX and XX above, 27@28c; delaine, 29c; No. 1 combing, 28@29c; No. 2 and ⅝-blood, 28@29c; ½-blood washed, 27@28c; coarse and braid washed, 25@26c.

TOLEDO—Wheat, 79c; corn, 40¼c; oats, 27c; rye, 52½c; cloverseed, $6 50.

BALTIMORE—Butter: Fancy creamery, 23c. Eggs—Fresh, 17@18c.

INDEPENDENCE DAY

Celebrated With Demonstrations of Rejoicing in Cuba.

Havana, Feb. 25.—Independence day was celebrated with processions, massmeetings and general demonstration of rejoicings. There was a parade of 10,000 school children bearing Cuban flags. They were received by prominent politicians.

The Republican party held a meeting in the Tacon theater. Senor Capote, who presided, said there was never more need than now to be quiet. The United States was the only country that had helped Cuba in her time of trouble, and he did not believe that the Washington government was now deceiving the Cubans. Senor Zayas declared that the "trick which the Americans have been playing upon the Cubans is the cause of the nondevelopment of the island." Senor Juan Gualberto Gomez arraigned the advocates of annexation as traitors to the cause of Cuba. He said he had more faith in independence now than he had in 1894, and that the United States could not rob Cuba of independence unless by a force of 600,000 men.

At the meeting of the National party the speakers were Senor Bravo, Senor Lacret and Senor Alfredo Zayas, the last named opposing the proposal to grant the United States naval stations in Cuba.

Greatest of All Combines.

New York, Feb. 25.—An official announcement may soon be expected from the office of J. P. Morgan & Company to the effect that the Carnegie company, the Federal Steel company, the National Tube company, the American Steel and Wire company, the American Tin Plate company, the National Steel company, the American Steel Hoop company and the American Sheet Steel company are to be combined in one concern. This new combination, it is understood, will be called the United States Consolidated Steel company. It will have a total capitalization of $1,100,000,000.

Insane Mother's Awful Work.

Colfax, Wash., Feb. 25.—Mrs. Rose Wurzer, a widow, in a fit of insanity, drowned her six children, aged from 4 to 12 years, at Uniontown, Wash. Two were boys and four girls. She threw them into a well 30 feet deep, containing two feet of water, then jumped in herself and held the heads of the children beneath the surface until all were drowned. Mrs. Wurzer was found alive in the well with her six murdered children by the neighbors, who pulled her out with a rope. She is violently insane. The woman's husband died a year ago.

Famous Physician.

St. Louis, Feb. 25.—Dr. Thomas O'Reilly, for 52 years a prominent physician of St. Louis, well known as a member of the Knights of St. Patrick and other Irish societies, and a notable home rule advocate, died suddenly from the effects of grip, with which he has been suffering for the past month. Mr. O'Reilly was 74 years of age. He was born in Virginia, County Cavin, Ireland. He studied medicine in Ireland and in London, where he was a fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons.

Wet Nurses and High Death Rate.

Paris, Feb. 25.—With the object of diminishing the high death rate among children entrusted to the care of wet nurses, a matter which is greatly exercising public opinion in Paris, M. Brieu, the well known playwright, has addressed a petition to the prefect of police, urging him to carry out the law forbidding a woman to take a situation until she can show that her latest child is at least seven months old or is being suckled by another.

By an Explosion.

Richmond, Feb. 25.—By an explosion in one of the buildings at the City gas works here Mortimer Hogan was killed, one end of the building was blown out and six men were injured. The cause of the explosion is not known. The damage to the building will amount to about $1,500.

Both Fell Dead.

Memphis, Feb. 25.—In a pistol duel in South Memphis between Berry Hill and Flavis Butler, both men, who are negroes, were killed.

Prince Jilted by a Peasant.

Vienna, Feb. 25.—Prince Karl of Croy has committed suicide because he was jilted by a peasant girl.

THE MEAT OF IT.

Interesting News Notes From All Quarters of the Globe.

Railways in Russia blockaded by snow. Terrific blizzard raging.

Miss Gertrude Pullman of Louisville to wed Lieutenant Taylor Evans, son of "Fighting Bob."

At Bristol, Pa., a freight ran into a train of empty coaches. Flagman McCann killed, two others injured.

Paris to have a children's exposition beginning May 1. Everything pertaining to childhood will be represented.

James Russell instantly killed at Denver by Mrs. Stella Stallings. Accidental. Couple toyed with a revolver.

Ten of the 13 negro miners entombed by an inrush of water at Tuscaloosa, Ala., rescued after several days' imprisonment.

Arsenic found in the oyster stew that caused the death in a Toledo lodging house of C. R. Burnett of Columbus and M. McDonald of Detroit.

A freight collided with an engine and snow plow on the Lake Shore, near White Pigeon, Mich. Conductor Stears and Brakeman White fatally hurt.

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Marconi's Irish Ancestry.

It is not generally known that Mr. Marconi, the adapter of wireless telegraphy, is as much an Irishman as an Italian in all but the matter of birth. He is, it appears, first cousin to a leading Wexford merchant and the son of an Enniscorthy lady. Mr. Marconi's maternal grandfather was Andrew Jameson of Daphne Castle and Fairfield, Enniscorthy.

Louisiana's Pet Names.

Louisiana has been called the "Creole State," from the character of its population, many of the French settlers having married Indian or mulattowomen. It is also known as the "Pelican state." This bird was formerly very abundant in the delta of the Mississippi, and its representation in the state arms probably inspired the nickname.

Rev. John Reed, Jr., of Great Falls, Mon., recommended Ely's Cream Balm to me. I can emphasize his statement "It is a positive cure for catarrh if used as directed."—Rev. Francis W. Poole, Pastor Central Pres. church, Helena, Mont.

After using Ely's Cream Balm six weeks I believe myself cured of catarrh. Joseph Stewart, Grand avenue, Buffalo, N. Y.

The Balm does not irritate or cause sneezing. Sold by druggists at 50 cts. or mailed by Ely Brothers, 56 Warren street, New York.

Enlistments in Scotland.

Enlisting in the army was brisk in Scotland in the past year. At Edinburgh the year was a record one, about 1,200 recruits being secured, against 700 the previous year; at Aberdeen there were 336 enlistments, 110 of them were for the Gordons; at Dundee, 1,005 men enlisted, nearly 300 more than in 1899. A much better class of men are said to have enlisted than in former years.

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Twice Laid Out for Dead.

Fred Lewis has returned to his home in Birmingham, Mich., from the Philippines, where he served as a soldier for over a year. He had been in the hospital nearly all that time and was twice laid out for dead. Once the attendants in charge were about to begin the embalming process when he regained consciousness, after being in a deathlike stupor for twelve hours.

CASTORIA.
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To Signal Sea-Going Vessels.

Wireless telegraph stations are to be erected at Inishtrahull, in the north of Ireland, and at Kildonan, Arran, Scotland, respectively, for the purpose of reporting and signaling vessels at sea. Col. Hozier, on behalf of the Lloyd's committee, has informed the various Glasgow shipowners of the fact.

Government Controls the Telephones.

The telephone service of the kingdom of Norway is now in the hands of the government, which has purchased, at a great expense, the private telephones in the country, and telephone communication has been established between Bergen and Christiania.—Lars Lea in Chicago Record.

INSOMNIA

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

STATE SENATOR.

Please announce the name of J. B. SUNDERLAND as Allen County's candidate for State Senator, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of STEPHEN D. CRITES, of Elida, as a candidate for the endorsement of the Allen county Democracy at its April primary, as a candidate for the nomination for State Senator at the district convention.

REPRESENTATIVE.

We are authorized to announce the name of H. H. ROUSH, of Bath township, as a candidate for Representative from Allen County, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. W. MANGES, of Richland township, as a candidate for Representative from Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce the name of F. M. WATT, of Jackson township, as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. A. STATES, of Monroe township, as a candidate for nomination for Sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of E. J. BARR, as a candidate for nomination for Sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of JACOB KISSEL, as a candidate for nomination for Sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of HENRY VAN GUNTEN, as a candidate for Sheriff of Allen county subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

INFIRMARY DIRECTOR.

We are authorized to announce the name of CHARLES GOBLE, of Richland township, as a candidate for Infirmary Director, of Allen county subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county, at the primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of W. L. BECHTOL, of German township as a candidate for Infirmary Director of Allen County subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county, at the primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of W. E. GRUBB, of Lima, as a candidate for Infirmary Director, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their Primary Election.

We are authorized to announce the name of GEORGE A. HEFFNER, of Lima, as a candidate for Infirmary Director, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

We are authorized to announce the name of I. D. CRIDER, of German township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of ALBERT HEFNER, of Perry township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county at the primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of D. S. COTNER, of Jackson township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of S. H. ARNOLD, of Jackson township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of DAVID STEPLETON, of Shawnee township, as a candidate for Commissioner of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county at the primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of G. F. GETZ, of Bath township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county at the primarp election.

TREASURER.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. W. GENSEL as a candidate for renomination for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county at the primary election.

CORONER.

We are authorized to announce the name of DR. T. M. JOHNSON, of Lima, as a candidate for nomination for Coroner of Allen county subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of DR. ANDREW BICE, of Lima, as a candidate for nomination for Coroner of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

FOR MEMBER OF COUNCIL.

We are authorized to announce the name of RICHARD STONE, for member of City Council from the Second ward, Lima, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the nome of JACOB J. HAEGE, for member of City Council from Second ward, Lima, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

By request of many friends, please announce the name of JEROME SHINE for Councilman, Second ward, subject to Democratic primary.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. W. HARMON as a candidate for member of the City Council from the Second ward, subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of MICHAEL DOYLE, as a candidate for member of Council from the First ward.

I wish to announce, I am a candidate for Council in the 7th Ward, subject to the decision of the Democratic primary. MICHAEL O'NEILL.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

The Times-Democrat is authorized by the friends of attorney BEN S. HENDERSON to announce his name as a candidate for the office of JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, subject to the decision of the Democracy of the city of Lima at its coming primary election.

WATER WORKS TRUSTEE.

We are authorized to announce the name of JOHN THOMPSON, SR., of the Fourth ward, as a candidate for Water Works Trustee.

We are authorized to announce the name of JAMES PORTER, as a candidate for Water Works Trustee, subject to decision of the Democratic primary election.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

The Times-Democrat is authorized by the many friends of Wm. E. REILLY, of the Fifth Ward, to announce his name as a candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace, subject to the decision of the Democracy of the city of Lima at he coming primary election.

W. F. DOBBINS

Will Not be a Candidate for Re-election.

The Retiring Member of Council From the Fifth Ward Declines to Run Again.

EDITOR TIMES-DEMOCRAT:

DEAR SIR:—I understand that there is a report in circulation that I have announced myself as a candidate for re-election togthe city council from the Fifth ward. It wish to state that this is a mistake as I do not intend to be a candidate as my business will not allow me to give the affairs of the city the attention they should have.

I heartily thank the citizens of the Fifth ward and the citizens as a whole for the assistance they have rendered me during my term of two years.

Yours respectfully,

W. F. DOBBINS.

AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

All Furniture in the Faurot House Will Be Sold.

Beginning on Thursday noon, and continuing Friday and Saturday of this week, all the beds, bedding, chairs, tables and other furniture in the Faurot House will be sold at public auction, piece by piece, to the highest bidders. This furniture is in first class shape and will be sold regardless of what it brings.

1t AL. DRIVER, Auctioneer.

REVIVAL AT U. B. CHUCH.

The revival at the U. B. church will continue this week. Interest is good.

New Ginghams and Challies at Carroll & Cooney's.

SERVICES AT THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

The services at the First Baptist church are growing in interest and power, the church being filled to overflowing at the services last evening. "The Runaway Girl" was Dr. Taylor's theme and the discourse was a most excellent exposition of the scriptures. Services every evening this week at 7:30 o'clock.

NEWS

Of the City Across the River.

Nuptial Event

In Which J. Sanders Will be Groom

And a Springfield Lady Will be the Bride, to Occur March 10th.

South Side Band Contemplates Giving Another Concert in Odd Fellows' Hall. Other South Side Notes.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Nungester, of south Main street, are the proud parents of a bouncing baby boy that arrived at their home Friday.

Wallace Smith, of Elizabeth street, is on the sick list.

J. D. Shefferly, who conducted a hardware store on south Main street, has closed out his business here and will leave soon for Monroeville, Ind., where he will reengage in business.

Charles Mott, employed at Ebner & Smith's carriage works, had his ankle fractured Friday, by a wagon axle falling on it. He was removed to his home, where he will be confined some time as a result of the accident.

Mrs. R. E. Irwin, of Jacobs avenue, is reported critically ill; her present condition being precarious.

E. E. Small, of Metcalf street, a refinery employe, is suffering greatly from the effects of a steel sliver which has lodged in his eye, threatening the impairment of the optic.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kindell, of west Kibby street, went to Goshen, Ind., Saturday to attend the funeral of Mr. Kindell's uncle which will occur Monday.

Rev. J. W. Underwood has received a call to the pastorate of the Christian church at Leipsic. He preached there yesterday, and later perhaps, will accept the call which he is now considering.

Miss Gertrude Bell, of Vine street, has gone to Toledo, where she will remain awhile then go on to Walcott, Ind., where she will occupy the position of head trimmer in a millinery establishment.

Fred Bloom, Warren Meanon, Frank Watt and Lewis Nagle, L. E. & W. machinists are all accounted ill.

William Walsh, of Van Wert, has accepted a position in the L. E. & W. shops.

Michael Walsh spent Sunday with Fremont friends.

Harry Van Cleve returned from Fremont Saturday.

Samuel Williams, of Beaver Dam, is visiting with G. S. Lytle, of Greenlawn avenue.

Mrs. Jane Bacome, of Elizabeth street, is quite sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Wagoner, left Saturday for Butler, Ind., where they will reside in the future.

Melville Allen, of Indianapolis, Iid., is the guest of his brother Frank, of this city.

On March the tenth, James Sanders, of the south side, will be married to Miss Sadie Blossom, of Springfield. The family formerly resided here. The wedding will occur at the home of the bride. The happy couple will make Lima their home.

Friday evening about thirty friends of Mrs. A. J. Arnold, coroner of Central avenue and Circular street, called at her home, taking her completely by surprise, when informing her the object of their visit was to properly celebrate her birthday anniversary. The evening was pleasantly occupied with a parlor dance, music, games and refreshments. The guests departed well pleased with the happy affair, the frequent return of which they earnestly wished.

At the first meet held by the south side band in their new rooms, on east Kibby street, Friday night, it was unanimously decided to give another public concert in Odd Fellow's hall in the near future. An effort will be made to even excel their former muscale.

Henry Suter, who is employed on a transport between New York, and Havanah, writes he is greatly enjoying his service, and expects to be home on a leave of absence about the first of June.

Some time ago A. W. Ochs, received from a relative in the Philippines, a Filipino saber, broken gun and some other trinkets, which he prizes very highly as relics.

Local friends of Charles Collier, will be pleased to learn he is now stationed at San Francisco, Cal., as clerk in the paymaster's department of the army. Mr. Collier occupied a similar position for awhile in Cuba during the late war.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kole, there transpired Friday night one of those delightful social functions, pleasantly remembered by the festive participants. The event was quite a formal affair, the evening's reception, and attendant ceremonies, being highly appreciated by the guests, who enjoyed the welcome hospitality of the Kole home.

Of late there has been a movement among Alumni members of the Ohio Normal University, in this vicinity, to organize an Ada Colony, to be thoroughly represented at the important Alumni event, to transpire at the old school in June. Colonies are being organized at Kenton, Bellfontaine and other surrounding towns, and the university graduates in this locality will not be lacking in loyalty. It is thought a regular and formal organization will be effected in the near future. Former students from all over the United States will be present at the exercises this summer.

Mrs. Eva Nusbaum, of Holmes avenue, has returned home after a visit of four weeks duration at Grogan, Ohio.

Mrs. W. A. Campnell, of Reece avenue, whose husband was killed by a fall at the steel works, has removed to Kalida, Ohio, to make her home with relatives.

Miss Emma Reeves, of Columbus, is visiting James Cronley and family, of St. Johns avenue.

J. L. Thomas went to Columbus today for a weeks visit.

The protracted meeing in progress sometime at the south Lima Baptist church was brought to a very satisfactory close last night.

Mrs. C. D. Cole, of south Pine street, is now quite ill at Christ hospital, Cincinnati, where she is awaiting another operation, the former ones not being as beneficial as anticipated.

Yesterday's services at the south side Christian church, were of a revival nature. The ordinance of baptism was administered to several. Wednesday evening at this church, a reception will be given to those who identified themselves with the church during the revival.

Mrs. Copeland, of Indianapolis, who has been visiting Mrs. Farm Larzalere, of Kibby street, returned home today.

Rev. Colburn, who has been assisting in the revival at the south Lima Baptist church, has returned to his charge at St. Marys.

Miss Cora Beltz, of south Pine street, is at Celina, called there by the dangerous illness of her grandmother.

John and George Garlinger, William Garlinger and wife, spent Sunday with A .S. Snyder and family.

This morning John and George Garlinger left for Bakersfield, Cal., where they will secure a location and engage in business.

Mrs. J. D. Lawrence will go to Burkettsville, where her husband has taken charge of the Christain church of that place.

Jacob Shaw, of Madison avenue, and Arnold Mans, of Second street, have returned from Pennsylvania, where they were employed by the Standard Oil company.

Isaah Crossley, of Crossley Brothers, the south Main street firm, is the proud papa of a pretty little girl that has been the object of special attention since Saturday.

Jesse Johnson is at home after a three months sojourn with his sister at Bakersfield ,Cal. His visit was a very pleasant one and he has much of interest to relate in that connection.

Miss Winefred Black, of Ada, spent Sunday as the guest of Mrs. Ruthell Laughlin, of St. Johns avenue.

Claude Fryback, of Reese avenue, is seriously ill.

J. S. Fox has returned to his home at Jacksonville.

D. S. Rudy and wife, of Waynsfield, were the Sunday guests of Robert Miller and family, of Harrison avenue.

Cleon Kindell has returned to work at the Lima Machine works, after several weeks illness at his home in Ada.

Mrs. John Stengall is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Emma Bern, at Kenton.

Clyde Dewcap, of south Main street, has gone to Paulding to atend the wedding of his sister.

William Piper, of south Main street, is confined to his bed by an attack of rheumatism.

Harry Van Cleve spent Sunday in Dayton.

Mrs. William Street, of Elizabeth street, is suffering from pneumonia.

Mrs. Clarence Goble, who went to Ada, is at prenent quite ill. Saturday her condition was considered hopeless, but now it is thought she will recover.

E. B. White, of Rankin, is the guest of his brother, W. W. White, of this city .

E. Rogers, of Wellsville, is visiting with H. C. Minnich.

Edward Brenner is recovered from a recent illness.

John Nolan is able to be at work again after a severe sickness

Mrs. C. B. Warren, of south Central avenue ,is suffering from an attack of la grippe.

57 Public Square. | G. E. BLUEM. | 57 Public Square.

Our 3rd Floor Economies

Continue to attract buyers. We never had greater values, and our offerings are finding new owners in plenty. The values are as great and unusual as on the sales first day. The garments must be right in the beginning or they find no place in our stock. This is a rule we follow, and one that brings no disappointment to purchasers.

Montana Chinchilla and Kersey Jackets, diagonal and fly front garments in black, blue and tan, were $8 to $12 for $5.

Where the sizes are broken we have made our $10 kind $1.98.

A lot of Dress Skirts, black serge, Mohair, Crepon, plaid, plain cloth, $5 to $8 kind, for $1.98.

A special at a special price is our rainy day skirt in Oxford, grey and blue, 5 piece skirt, 10 rows stitching, $2.98.

Another drive in a Rainy Day Skirt is a grey frieze, five point skirt, all seams lapped and double stitched, deep flounce and silk stitching, $4.00.

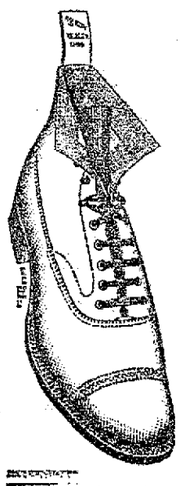
All our French Flannel Waists, none reserved, At 1-2 Regular Price.

Ladies' and Misses' Tailor-Made Suits, with fly front, Eton and tight fitting jackets, inverted darts, drop and 5-piece skirts, At 1-2 Price.

G. E. BLUEM,

Elevator Third Floor.

The Dry Goods. Dress Goods. Suit House.



The February Shoe Clearing Sale.

The greatest shoe purchasing apportunity ever afforded the patrons of this house, including every style of leather and last, can be found in this sale.

$5.00 and $6.00 values at $3.50. Women's and men's patent leather, English enamel boxes, velour calf, vici kid, in button and lace shoes for dress and street wear all styles, for.... $3.50

Women's and men's $3.50 and $4.00 shoes, gathered together into one large lot consisting of patent leather, vici kid, box or velour calf, shoes in heavy or light weight, all new toes, special clearing sale price, per pair, at.... $2.50

Misses' and children's vici kid, box or velour calf extension sole, laced and button shoes, all sizes and widths, per pair.... $1.25

Boys' and youths' vici or box calf extension sole, laced shoes, good serviceable shoes for school wear, all sizes, $2.00 value, per pair.... $1.50

Women's vici kid, calf shoes, with extension or close edge sole, good serviceable shoes, laced only, clearing sale price, per pair.... $1.50

MICHAEL'S UP TO DATE STORE FOR CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR

WANTED.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Property. 8 room house with all modern improvements and nice lot with all kinds of choice fruits on west High street. Inquire at 222 north West street. *13-3t

LADIES—Desiring pleasant easy home work paying a handsome income should address with stamp. Standard Remedy Company, Flint, Michigan. *13-1w

WANTED—Young man to travel. Salary $10.00 a week and expenses. State where can be seen. Address, G. Times-Democrat. 13-3t

WANTED—A girl to do general house work in small family. Call at 542 north West street. 14-3t

MANAGER—Energetic man to manage branch. Old established house. No soliciting; office duties wholly. Salary $125 month and extra commissions. Yearly engagement; chance rapid advancement for man of ability. Experience not necessary. Must furnish good references and $880 cash. Manager, Drawer 74, New Haven, Ct. jan 26-1m

MEN—To learn barber trade. We can offer better inducements now than any other season. Prepare for spring rush, only eight weeks required, tools presented, positions guaranteed. Catalogue mailed free. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill. 12-12t

TYPEWRITERS—Great slaughter in prices. New Manhattans at less than half manufacturer's price. No. 2 Caligraphs, second hand in first class condition $15, $20 and $25 each. F. S. Webster Co., 141 Madison street, Chicago.

LOST—Water Spaniel pup. Finder will please return to John Morrisey, 801 St. Johns avenue, and receive liberal reward. 14-3t

LOST—Bridle bull dog with collar, finder will receive a liberal reward by returning him to Joseph Denhauser, 725 Greenlawn avenue. 14-3t

WANTED—Young lady with some knowledge of clerking for light office work; also lady canvasser for town. Good positions to right parties. Apply between 5 and 6 p. m. Art Studio, 232½ north Main street, Lima, Ohio. 14-3t*

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CARROLL & COONEY.	CLOAK SALE.	CARROLL & COONEY.

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LADIES' AND MISSES' CLOAKS AND SUITS.

We have secured a new manager for our Cloak and Suit Department—a gentleman who has had a number of years experience in one of the leading cloak and suit houses of Cincinnati. The new manager is anxious to close out all goods on hand, that he may have room for the largest stock of SPRING GARMENTS ever brought to Lima. Every garment in the department, without a single exception, has been marked down.

Ladies' Jackets that were $10 and $12.00, reduced to $1.98.
Ladies' Jackets that were $12 and $15.00, reduced to $3.98.
Ladies' Jackets (all new and latest styles) that were $10, $15.00 and $20.00, reduced to $7.50.
Misses' Plaid Skirts, values up to $5, reduced to 98c.
Ladies' Rainy Day Skirts reduced from $6.75 to $3.75.
Ladies' Plaid and Mohair Skirts marked down from $2 to 98c.
Ladies Mohair Skirts that were $3.00 and $4.00, now $1.98.
Every $10.00 Suit marked down to $4.98.
Every Suit in the house at greatly reduced price.

Children's Long Coats, 2 to 6 year sizes, reduced from 75c to 39c; from $2 to 98c; from $3.50 to $1.98; from $5 to $2.50; from $6.50 to 4.75.
Misses' Long Coats, 8, 10 and 12 year sizes, at greatly reduced prices.
Children's Short Jackets, 4 to 12 year sizes, for 98c, worth $2.
Children's Short Jackets, 3 to 6 year sizes, reduced from $3 to 1.98; from 5.00 to 2.50.
All Ladies' Wool Waists at reduced prices--some of them considerably less than half price.

CARROLL & COONEY.

"KID"

Gave Mackey All He Wanted

In Six Rounds

And Could Have Finished Him in Ten,

Is the Opinion Expressed by the Lima Bantam's Admirers.

Even the Findlay Sports Admit That Boop Had Their Pugalistic Protege on Queer Street In Round Four.

The fact that "Kid" Boop, the local 108 pound demonstrator of the manly art of self defense, fought Biz Mackey, the speedy Findlay fighter, to a draw in the latter's own grounds is excellent evidence of the Lima boy's possibilities. Mackey has had far more experience in the fighting game than young Boop has had and is believed that the Findlay lad's superior ring generalship is all that saved him from going down and out within the six rounds that they measured each other's ability. The following account of the fight is taken from a Findlay paper and consequently may have been contorted to whatever degree of prejudice the Findlay writer entertained in favor of the Findlay boy:

In the first round Mackey was clearly the better of the two, both in number and effectiveness of his blows. He was first to touch his glove to his opponent and the blow went good and strong to the jaw. Boop then tried to rush matters, but Mackey ducked cleverly and then ran into a clinch. Waiting tactics were then indulged in by the men, and no blows of importance were exchanged during the remainder of the round.

Round two. This was Mackey's round. He at once began hostilities and connected his left to Boop's face in a very decisive manner. Boop retaliated, landing a hard left on the neck. He tried another for the same place ,but Mackey was not there, having ducked past in time to feel the glove glaze his head. Mackey then opened hostilities and sent an uppercut to the body and then clinched to avoid punishment. Boop tried to swing which went wild and the round ended.

Round three. Boop became more aggressive and started to force Mackey around the ring. The side stepping of Mackey was pretty to see and enabled the Findlay lad to keep away from his opponent. After more dillatory tactics, the round closed with hardly a blow being struck.

Round four. In this round Boop made Mackey step lively though he hesitated to mix matters. Mackey sent a left to the head, but received a right counter with interest. They then clinched and fell to one side of the ring. In the last minute Mackey was kept busy to evade the Lima boy. Round five. This round was uneventful and was productive of less interest than the former. Boop made several ineffectual swings but succeeded in landing on Mackey's breast quite strongly as time was called.

Round six. Mackey came up quite strong and for a few seconds the men were at it with vengeance, each getting in several hot ones. A clinch ened the mix-up and the lads became more cautious and shifty. Mackey got in hard right on Boop's face, and got away safely. Shortly after Boop made a successful lead to Mackey's cheek, bu tthe latter withdrew and escaped further punishment. Just as time was called both landed hard to the face. The contest was declared a draw.

Con Riley seconded Mackey, while Moore, of Lima, looked after Boop's interests. John Hart refereed the contest.

AT THE FIRST BAPTIST.

The First Baptist church had two large congregations yesterday. Dr. Taylor was heard with rapt attention. He is greatly pleased with the people of Lima, and says he has never preached to congregations more courteous and attentive. Last night several indicated a desire to live the Christian life.

Song service begins tonight at 7:30 and all are invited.

Diphtheria relieved in twenty minutes. Almost miraculous. Dr. Thomas's Electric Oil. At any drug store.

STODDARD

Gives Answers to 33,165 Questions

Like the Ones Below—A Splendid Opportunity to Test Your Knowledge of the World We Live In,

1. What country is the best proof of man's superiority over nature?
2. What great nation has had thirty-six changes of government, and seventy-three Presidents within forty consecutive years?
3. What is the highest glory of the Anglo-Saxon race?
4. Who built the first canal connecting the Mediterranean with the Red sea?
5. What great city has been destroyed by fire and rebuilt on an average of every thirty years, since 1603?

Watch Tuesday's Times-Democrat.

New wash goods worth 12 1-2c for 8 1-3c at Carroll & Cooney's.

THE SPINNET CLUB.

The Spinnet club will meet with Mrs. Harry Lamberton Wednesday afternoon.

ATTENTION, SIR KNIGHTS!

A stated conclave of Shawnee Commandery No. 14, K. T., will be held on Tuesday, Feb. 26th, at 7 o'clock p. m. Important business.

F. A. ZIMMERMAN, E. C.
E. H. JOHNS, Rec.

New Dress Goods at Carroll & Cooney's.

TWENTY

And Twenty are the Number of Days and Dollars Joe Moss Got.

Judge Cunningham Saturday assessed a fine of $20 and gave an additional twenty days in jail to Joe Moss, who interfered in the arrest of his brother by the police.

LAMB

Succeeds a Lion at This Station

On the Pennsy.

Detective Rulo Will Go to Ft. Wayne

And George Lamb, of Capt. Stahl's Ft. Wayne Force Comes to Lima.

The New Officer Well Known Among Lima Maccabees and Members of the Pathfinder—News of the Railroads.

Detective Charles Rulo, of the Pennsylvania railroad police department, who has been located with his headquarters in this city for several months is to be transferred to the Ft. Wayne local force and will be succeeded here by detective George Lamb, who, for the past month has been with Capt. Stahl in the service at Ft. Wayne. The change will become effective tomorrow and although Mr. Rulo's friends here will be sorry to learn that he is to be transferred his successor promises to be equally the lion in ability and personality that has gained for Mr. Rulo the esteem of all whom he had met during his term of service here. Mr. Rulo's family lives in Ft. Wayne and the change is made at his request in order that he may have more opportunity to be at home.

Mr. Lamb's home is in Van Wert and he has only been in the service of the Pennsylvania company's police department for about one month but he is not an entire stranger in Lima, being quite well known among the local members of the Maccabees and Pathfinder orders.

Ed. McGrievy, of the L. E. & W. paint shop, is confined to his home by a severe attack of la grippe.

A DESERVED PROMOTION.

William T. Bohling, for five or six years the local cashier of the Lake Shore and the Lake Erie & Western roads, has received a nice and merited promotion, says the Fort Wayne Sentinel. Next week he will become the Lake Erie & Western agent at Hartford City, a responsible and remunerative position. Mr. Bohling has been with the company for a number of years, first as clerk and later as cashier.

NOTES.

G. J. Girard, a brakeman on the Pittsburg, was injured at Bucyrus Thursday night, by a fall from a car on which he was working in the yards. His home is at Fort Wayne and he was taken there Friday. His injuries are not of a serious nature, but he will be laid up for several days.

If you are awakened in the morning by a burglar the chances are you will lose your watch and purse. If by a Parker Alarm Clock you will be ready for business.

PAUL AND BELL,
Jewelers and Opticians, 132 w High.
3-2t.

ATTENTION FORESTERS!

Bro. Michael is dead. Special meeting of all Foresters tonight at 7:30 at Dr. J. F. Matthew's office, 135½ south Main street. All come.

A CROWNING SUCCESS.

The museum at the Masonic temple is proving to be a crowning success financially, as well as being pleasing to the patrons. Everybody pronounces the Noah's ark case the finest piece of mechanism they have ever seen and just think what a good act you are doing in helping to swell the sum which has already reached the amount of $320.70 in five days work. Therefore it will be continued this week and this will absolutely be your only chance to see Noah's ark before it is shipped to the Pan-American Exposition and just stop and think what good your dime will do besides getting value received.

If you cannot attend personally send a substitute. No one knows who will be the next one hurt or stricken down with disease. The hospital is indispensible, therefore don't fail to help the good work along.

SUDDENLY

Death's Hand Brought Sadness

To the Home of Jerry Sullivan on the South Side.

Mrs. Bridget Sullivan, Stricken With Paralysis Saturday Evening, Died at 8 O'clock This Morning.

At 8 o'clock this morning Mrs. Bridget Sullivan, an aged and respected Irish lady who has been a resident of the south side for many years, died at her home, 918 south Main street, after a brief illness. Saturday evening at 9 o'clock she was suddenly stricken down with paralysis and heart trouble and she never rallied from the attack but sank gradually into the peaceful repose of death which terminated her sufferings thirty-five hours after the fatal illness came upon her.

Mrs. Sullivan was about 65 years of age and the only survivor of her immediate family is her son Jeremiah, better known as "Whitie" Sullivan, proprietor of the Alliance saloon and restaurant which adjoins the home that has been darkened by the shadow of death. The deceased was well known among the older residents of the south side as well as by all of the congregation of St. Rose church and was esteemed and beloved for her Christian charity and many deeds of kindness. She is also survived by one brother, James Cassidy, and a nephew, John J. Sullivan, who have made their home with the family for a number of years.

Funeral services will be held at St. Rose church, Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock, and the remains will be consigned to a final resting place in Gethsemani cemetery.

Phone us or drop a postal. We will call and get your Clock, clean and adjust it, return same and guarantee it to keep up-to-date time.

PAUL & BELL,
3-2t Opposite Postoffice.

FAUROT HOUSE FURNITURE.

Will be Sold to the Highest Bidder at Public Auction.

The furniture in the Faurot House has been taken possession of under a chattel mortgage and will on Thursday afternoon, Friday and Saturday next, be sold in separate pieces at public auction to the highest bidders. This will be a good opportunity to get first class second hand furniture at very low figures. Everything in the house will be sold regardless of what it brings.

AL. DRIVER,
1t Auctioneer.

The largest stock of Carpets and Rugs at Carroll & Cooneye's.

A NEW FIRM

Is Now in Charge of the Neise Shoe Store on South Main Street.

The people of Lima will be interested in learning that the firm of A. Vogel & Co. have purchased the shoe stock of W. H. Neise, and have taken charge of the business. Mr. A. Vogel, the senior member of the firm, is in this city in control of the store, and the people will find him a clever and courteous gentleman. He comes from the Indian town of Upper Sandusky on the banks of the Tymochtee river, but the gentleman bears no resemblance to the Indian. He is a practical shoe man who has for a dozen years been engaged in the shoe trade in Wyandot county, and our people welcome him to Lima and wish him good luck in his business venture.

WORTH SOMETHING.

This ad. and 10c will buy a one pound package of coffee at Irwin's tomorrow.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of George W. Kollar, deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of George W. Kollar, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 15th day of February, A. D. 1901.

C. H. HELLER.

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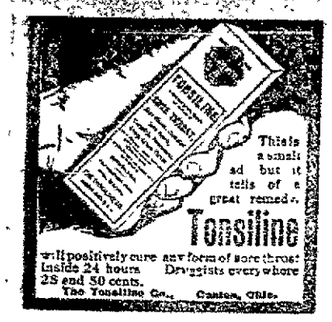

MACHINE-MADE TALK.

Brilliant Conversation Cannot Be Made Before Hand.

Most of us know people who are continually and obviously striving to attain brilliancy in conversation. Some of these talk so beautifully—as did the model child in the old-fashioned school reader—as to give the impression that their beautiful conversation has been carefully prepared and elaborated before hand. At times it seems possible to detect the deft dragging in of a subject with which the talker is especially familiar and sometimes one fancies that one can discover an effort on the part of a whole group of people to guide the conversation in a predetermined direction. Questions are proposed for discussion in almost as formal a way as in the most formal literary club—and thus we get our brilliant conversation. There is just one thing lacking and that is spontaneity. And as this is essential to any real conversation its absence is enough of itself to defeat the sole purpose of those who work so hard. Of course, the endeavor is laudable, within limits. But the limits ought to be carefully observed—and it is not often that they are. The touch-and-go of real conversation, the flashing epigram, the apt story and the contagion of good fellowship and sympathy can have no place in a "made" conversation. Another thing to be noted is that even the best talkers—when they are natural, and not striving for effect—indulge but rarely in quotation. When, therefore, we hear a man reeling off quotations by the yard, we may be very sure that they have been scrupulously committed to memory, to be sprung at the slightest provocation. Doubtless, the artificial "conversations" so common in our clubs have had an effect on all of us. It is almost impossible for a conversation that is "led" to be easy and natural. This subject is one of some importance. For there can be no talk without talkers, and if the speech-making, quoting type should widely prevail, we should soon have no talkers.—Indianapolis News.

WORKING OVER TIME.

Eight hour laws are ignored by those tireless little workers—Dr. King's New Life Pills. Millions are always at work, night and day, curing indigestion, biliousness, constipation, sick headache and all stomach, liver and bowel troubles. Easy, pleasant, safe, sure. Only 25 cents at H. F. Vorthamp's drug store, cor. Main and North streets.

Original Meaning of Preposterous.

The word preposterous originally meant a process of reversing the natural order of things, such as indicated by the common expression "putting the cart before the horse." By an easy gradation it has come to be used in its present significance.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Herd of Twenty Thousand Caribou.

J. M. Bell of the Canadian geological survey department has just returned to Ottawa after an absence of about eighteen months, during which time he traveled across Canada from the arctic to the boundary. He saw immense bands of caribou. There must have been, Mr. Bell says, over 20,000 of them in one band. He never saw anything like it.

HOW TO CURE THE GRIP.

Remain quietly at home and take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as directed and a quick recovery is sure to follow. That remedy counteracts any tendency of the grip to result in pneumonia, which is really the only serious danger. Among the tens of thousands who have used it for the grip not one case has ever been reported that did not recover. For sale by all druggists.

Chinese Overrun Manchuria.

In a recent number of Petermann's Mitthcilungen the statement appears that the influx of Chinese is causing the disappearance of the Manchus from Manchuria and that before very long their language will cease to be spoken, as their children are taught Chinese.

Deals in Sugar Shares.

Financial reports show that no less than 13,251,283 shares of Sugar common stock were bought and sold on the New York Exchange during the year 1900. This is the same thing as saying that the entire common stock changed hands forty times over.

PIONEER PREACHING.

EXPERIENCES OF A MINISTER IN EARLY DAYS.

Where Hold-Ups and Killings Were of Frequent Occurrence — Murderer Escapes Pursuers by Taking Refuge in a Pulpit.

Some of the preachers who visited the West in its early days of development can tell pretty good stories of its wild life; but few have had the experience of Rev. James McFarland, pastor of the Hyde Park Presbyterian Church of Denver. Nineteen years ago last fall he went to Durango. The place was then one of the liveliest spots on earth. Situated so near the corner of four territories it was a favorite resort for thieves, murderers and cattle rustlers of all the surrounding states. The bad men ran rampant until the vigilance committee rose in its might and ran them out. "On the day that I made my entry into Durango," says Rev. Mr. McFarland, "I saw a man galloping at breakneck speed

REV. JAMES M'FARLAND.

down the main street, a gun in each hand, and firing one of them at every bound of the horse. I wondered what kind of a place I had got into. But I got used to that after a while."

How He Founded His Church.

Before that time the Congregationalists and Methodists had tried to start churches, but failed owing to the rowdies who broke up the meetings. Rev. Mr. McFarland tried different methods and succeeded. Before starting his meeting the preacher went around among the gambling joints and asked some of the very toughest element to come and act as doorkeepers in the house of the Lord. He had a way that pleased them somehow. They went to church and acted as sergeant-at-arms. He put them on their honor to help him run the meeting, and the meeting was run in peace and quiet. After this signal victory Mr. McFarland became very popular, and could go anywhere among the hills of that region without molestation though he was almost the only man of the region who was allowed the privilege. Hold-ups were so common that they lost the charm of novelty.

Fourteen Hands in Air.

"One day I was riding on horseback from Durango to Animas City," says Mr. McFarland, "when I came plump into the midst of a group of seven men. They were all leading business men of the place, and the best friends I had there. Every one of them had his hands raised to heaven, and one highwayman was going through them, while another had them covered with a gun. I had to laugh. 'Well, boys,' said I, 'shall I get in line?' 'Where you going, Mr. McFarland?' asked one of the highwaymen. 'Down to Animas,' I replied. 'Well, can you keep your mouth shut?' said he. 'You bet I can,' said I. 'All right, you can ride along,' said he. So I went on. Two hours later I was on my return trip, when I came upon them again. They were doing a land-office business that day, sure, for they had another batch of victims with their hands up. In this last lot was a man named Linton, who was almost the only man in town who had refused to give me a cent to help build my church. I laughed when I saw him. 'Hullo, there Linton,' said I, 'I'm glad somebody's got hold of you at last that can make you shell out.' The next day he came and gave me a donation for the church. I knew both the highwaymen. They were called 'Trinidad' and 'Charlie.' One year later I saw them both hanged in Rico.

A Murderer's Refuge.

"I soon had a big Sunday school at Animas City, which was then the larger town of the two, and before long had a church built. One night as I was preaching, a man galloped up to the door. The moment he dropped his reins the horse stopped stock still, as these horses always do. The rider leaped off and rushed into the church. He came along up the aisle, quietly but quickly, at every window stooping so that he could not be seen from the outside. He stepped up into the pulpit and stood exactly behind me. I finished my remarks, made the closing prayer, and gave out the closing hymn, all with the man standing behind me. The people were evidently excited, but they made no disturbance, and after singing, quietly dispersed. There were three brothers of the man in the audience, although I did not know it. After the congregation had dispersed the man said to me: 'Pardner, I'm much obliged to you. If ever you're in a tight fix like me, I'll do the same for you.' Then he told me that he had killed a man in Silverton, and that a posse was after him. He had turned aside into the church, and it was a good trick, for they never thought of looking for him there, but went thundering by down to Durango. He turned in the opposite direction, got away into Utah and was never captured."

A Bullet or a Gold Piece.

One of the most startling adventures Mr. McFarland ever had was just after he went to Durango. The civil war of Durango was in progress, and a battle took place in the streets all one day. It was for some caustic editorials on this day's battle in her paper that Mrs. Romney, the sister of Mrs. L. M. Goddard, had her newspaper office threatened by the rustlers. For a long time after that there were two bands of rustlers and thieves and bad men round about Durango and Animas City, and there was war to the hilt between the bands. Men were shot in the streets daily. One night Mr. McFarland, who was "batching" in a log cabin behind his church, was roused from sleep by a knocking at the door. It was the dead of night, and he demanded to know who was there. A voice replied that it was a friend who wanted to see him. When he opened the door a masked man stepped in, and presented to the astonished young preacher the alternative of a cocked revolver held in one hand and a $20 gold piece in the other.

A Desperate Chance.

"You can take your choice, parson," said he coolly, "I want you to marry me. If you will, I will give you this $20. If you won't, I'll give you the contents of this gun."

The preacher said that under the circumstances he was willing to perform the ceremony. As soon as he was dressed the man with the gun led him by a dark and devious way to the banks of the Animas. "The River of Lost Souls" rushed dark and forbidding between its banks. The mountains towered grimly on either side, and upon a not distant hillside twinkled the camp fires of the enemy. The situation was simply that the man with the gun was about to marry a girl connected with one band of the rustlers. The other band, camped on the hillside not far away, were out for blood, and the enamored bridegroom judged it expedient to have the wedding over just as quickly and quietly as possible. So it was held at midnight on the banks of the Animas.

A VETERAN TRADES UNION.

One of the oldest active trades unionists in the country is Maj. Sam L. Leffingwell of Indianapolis Typographical Union No. 1. He was born in Chillicothe, O., in 1830. He was a newspaper apprentice in 1844, a soldier in the Mexican war, 1847-8, and became a member of Cincinnati Typographical Union in 1850. For the next ten years he shifted around the country working at his trade. Mr. Leffingwell was major of the Thirty-first Ohio, also of the Eighty-seventh Ohio, and a private of Company H, First Ohio Volunteer Cavalry, in the civil war of 1861-5. He organized the Trades Assembly, now Central Union, Indianapolis, July, 1881; was its president five terms; delegate, Pittsburg 1881, present American Federation, drafted original platform of that body; again delegate American Federation of Labor, 1882, Cleveland, and presided at that session, organized Indiana State Federation of Labor, 1893; was its president two years, organized Alpha Assembly 1,712, at Indianapolis, 1882, then District Assembly, with 34 locals; also locals at Lebanon, Lafayette, Muncie, Fort Wayne, Rushville, Richmond, Ind., and at Dayton, O.; and now, as a

MAJ. SAM L. LEFFINGWELL.

hand typesetter, in his 71st year, is working at the case in a book concern at Indianapolis.

The Banner City for Big Policemen.

The largest aggregation of fat policemen in the world is to be found on the Chicago police force. A majority of the members of the force, including officers, have grown in weight much beyond the maximum limit set down in the "physical test" of the civil service examination. According to the test, as shown by its graduations in heights and minimum and maximum measurements, the average weight of the 2,343 men on the police pay rolls should be 182 pounds. Instead of this the average is found to be 210 pounds. Some of the men are more in excess than others, but hypothetically Chicago is protected by policemen who are interfered with in the discharge of their duties by a large quantity of superfluous flesh. The aggregate weight of the entire force is 596,991 pounds.

Cost of a London Fog.

It is estimated that the dense pall of smoke and fog that from time to time overhangs London costs the city from $250,000 to $500,000 daily in the matter of bills for electricity and gas. The embargo on railway traffic, with other expenses, making up a huge bill.

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Cremation Increasing in England.

Cremation is slowly increasing in favor in England, and Woking is to have a rival establishment at Hendon, where twelve acres are being prepared for the purpose. In 1885, there were three cremations at Woking, in 1886, ten, in 1890, fifty-four, in 1894, 125, and in 1899, 240. It is only during the past three years that this crematorium has been profitable from the shareholders' point of view.

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Husband and Wife Reconciled.

Thirteen years ago Sim Bell and his wife of Ottumwa, Iowa, quarreled because they could not agree on a name for their baby daughter. From that time neither spoke to the other until last week, when both happened to attend the same revival meeting in a local church. The excitement at this gathering broke the long period of silence, and now they are fully reconciled.

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Maryland Wants New Census.

Marylanders are so much dissatisfied with the recent federal census of their state that they are urging that a new census be taken forthwith by state authority. They want it especially that what they call manifest errors may be corrected before the reapportionment for representation of the counties is made.

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Municipality Buys Non-Military Toys.

The St. Etienne, France, municipality has voted a sum of money to buy new toys for the children of the local creche, but on the distinct instructions that neither drums nor trumpets are purchased, "in order that the children may run no risk of acquiring the military spirit."

Beauty's Memorial to Husband.

Artemisia, the wife of Mausolus, who built in honor of her husband, a tomb so splendid that it has given his name to sepulchral structures, was a brunette Greek beauty. Her eyes were brilliantly black and her features were regular.

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CHURCHES ON WHEELS.

The Great Amount of Good Accomplished Through Their Agencies.

The strangest churches in the world are those which travel on wheels, of which there are eight in this country. Their origin is due to a visit of Dr. Wayland Hoyt of New York to the mining camps of the great northwest nearly nine years ago on a private car belonging to his brother, Colgate Hoyt, a prominent railroad man, and one connected with the Great Northern railway. Lumbering camps, in all their primitive destitution; mining camps, most rudimentary in equipment; places where men who are banished from more densely populated communities go to eke out their lives and their livelihoods, were visited in turn by the evangelist and his brother, and a mental resolve was made by Dr. Hoyt to better these isolated regions if it were a possibility. As the best means of introducing Christianity to these seemingly religion-forsaken localities, the church seemed the most propitious, but on the face of it it was an impossibility to found churches in these camps, not only from lack of interest on the part of the natives, but also from lack of money. At last the church on wheels was thought of, and Dr. Hoyt at once put the plan before prominent railroad men, and suggested that it would be to the interest of the companies to move in the direction of equipping a railroad car with the furnishings necessary for a chapel, and having it sidetracked in the little towns. The suggestion took root and a syndicate of railroad men, including Mr. Hoyt, E. J. Barney and John D. Rockefeller, built and equipped the first chapel car and presented it to the American Baptist Publishing society, to be used under its direction on all the railroad lines of the west. Since that time seven other cars have been built. Through the work of the chapel cars seventy churches have been organized, fifty-four meeting houses have been secured, fifty-five pastors have been provided with permanent locations, 135 Sunday schools have been organized and 965 baptisms—immersions after the manner of the Baptist faith—have been administered. No less than 7,500 persons have professed conversion as a result of the meetings held in connection with the cars.

ATHLETICS THEIR HOBBY.

Royal Ladies Who Are Given to Physical Culture.

The remarkable athletic training which has been given by the Comtesse de Paris to all her daughters has recently been put to practical use by one of them—the Queen of Portugal—whose courage and presence of mind in saving a man from drowning have just been gracefully acknowledged by the Emperor William, who has conferred on the Queen the Prussian medal for saving life.

All the daughters of the Comtesse de Paris are expert swimmers, fine horsewomen and good shots, although none of them equal their mother in respect of this last. Princess Louise, her only unmarried daughter, dislikes all social functions, and is devoted to outdoor pursuits, walks for miles and wears her light-brown hair cropped short like a boy—a fashion which is not at all unbecoming to her. Princess Louise is tall, although neither so tall nor so handsome as her stately sister, the Duchess of Aosta, nor her beautiful sister, the Queen of Portugal. These royal ladies are, in spite of their devotion to manly exercises, noted for their womanly dignity and also a charm of manner which is unfortunately not shared by their brother, the "Prince de France."

The young Duchess de Guise (Madame Isabelle de France) who was only married last year, is the only one of the Orleans sisters who is not given to the pursuits in which her mother and sisters so excel.

One of the "athletic" royal ladies is the Dowager Empress of China, who is said to be an expert wrestler, and to indulge daily in this somewhat unusual pursuit. Wrestlers are kept at her palace, so that she may constantly keep herself in training.

Was Well Supplied.

When the Shah of Persia goes a visiting he creates consternation in the royal and imperial households which are, for diplomatic reasons, obliged to receive him. The fact that among the priceless gems and curios which adorn his treasure room in his palace at Teheran is preserved such a curiosity as a toothbrush will give an inkling of what the Shah-in-Shah is not a desirable guest. Most of his gorgeous robes of state he has made in England, but of late has rather affected the French shops. The story is told of an enterprising firm of French shirtmakers who, on the occasion of the recent visit of the Shah to the French capital, thought to do a good stroke of business by getting his patronage. To this end they sent for the Shah's inspection a dozen of their finest and most costly shirts. "Ah, very pretty," remarked his majesty, "but I brought one with me from Persia."

The Partition of Africa.

All but about a seventh part of Africa is included in the "sphere of influence" of one or other of the European powers. The French lead off the list with the largest "sphere." This includes 3,700,000 square miles—which is about the size of Europe itself—out of 11,600,000. England, when we count the Boer states, comes next with 2,400,000. Then Germany, Belgium, which has the Congo Free State, and Portugal follow in the order named, each, however, having something a little less than 1,000,000 square miles.

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We	ward.	21	9	15	31	39	35
		AM	AM	PM	PM	AM	PM
Fitsburgh	lv	*1 05	*7 00	*8 50	*1 35		
Allegheny	"	3 25	9 20	3 55	4 20		
Canton	"	4 00	9 59	4 34	5 24		
Massillon	"	4 12	10 11	4 46	5 42		
Wooster	"	4 55	10 55	5 21	6 25		
Mansfield	"	6 10	12 05	6 26	7 55		
		6 37	12 35	6 54	8 26		
Crestline	lv	6 45	12 40	12 01	pm	*7 00	12 35
Robinson	"					7 22	12 47
Bucyrus	"	7 04	1 00	12 21		7 35	2 53
Nevada	"					7 38	3 03
Upper Sandusky	"	7 29	1 23	12 47		7 54	3 22
Kenton	"					8 08	3 35
Forest	"					8 18	3 45
Dunkirk	"					8 37	4 05
Washington	"					8 53	4 22
Ada	"		2 03			9 10	4 39
Lafayette	"					9 20	5 03
Lima	"	8 35	2 25	1 46		9 40	5 24
Elida	"					10 03	5 46
Delphos	"					10 21	6 03
Middlepoint	"					10 34	6 17
Van Wert	"	9 21	3 10	2 35		10 53	6 36
Convoy	"					11 03	6 46
Dixon	"					11 16	6 59
Monroeville	"					11 25	7 07
Maples	"					11 35	7 17
Auburn	"					11 43	7 25
Ft. Wayne	"	10 10	4 00	3 25		11 50	7 30
Warsaw	"	11 32	5 24	4 56		1 32	
Plymouth	"	11 57	5 59	5 31		2 15	
Valparaiso	"	1 15	7 19	6 54		3 45	
Chicago	"	2 30	8 45	7 45		5 15	
		pm	AM	AM		pm	

Eastward.	22	20	8	32	6	26
	AM	AM	PM	PM	PM	PM
Chicago	lv *7 30	*12 00	*3 00	*8 00	*11 45	
Valparaiso	9 22	1 52	4 50		1 23	
Plymouth	10 37	2 59	6 00	9 25	3 05	
Warsaw	11 15	3 38	6 34	10 07	3 44	
Ft. Wayne	12 40	4 20	7 45	11 01	5 30	*7 00
Auburn	*5 51					7 11
Garrett	12 59					7 19
Maples	1 06		8 17		9 03	7 35
Monroeville	1 15					7 45
Dixon	1 20				9 22	7 51
Convoy	1 45	5 11	8 35		9 39	8 03
Van Wert	1 55				9 52	8 12
Middlepoint	2 13	5 37	9 05		10 10	8 28
Delphos	2 23					8 41
Elida	2 40	5 57	9 30	1 25	7 31	8 51
Lafayette	3 03					9 20
Lima	3 15		10 00		8 12	9 35
Kirkwood	3 25					9 45
Dunkirk	3 35				8 32	9 55
Forest	3 53				8 54	10 23
Kenton	4 03	7 02	10 46		9 05	10 36
Upper Sandusky	4 20				9 24	10 53
Nevada	4 35	7 34	11 12		9 42	11 09
Bucyrus	4 57					11 28
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	5 15	8 05	11 50	3 20	10 15	Am 1
Mansfield	5 47	8 33	12 15		10 46	
Wooster	7 09	9 55	1 25		12 23	
Massillon	7 55	10 22	2 13		1 19	
Canton	8 10	10 40	2 35	5 27	1 35	
Allegheny	9 05	11 10	3 10	6 05	2 15	
Pittsburgh	ar pm	1 40	5 55	8 30	5 30	
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7:30 Lv. 09	Rice	Lv 4:00
7:45 Ar. 14	Continental (2)	Lv 3:45
8:35 Lv.	Continental (2)	Ar 3:15
15	*Leon	
8:35 Ar. 20	Dormington (3)	Lv. 2:55
8:45 Lv. 20	Dormington (2)	Ar 2:45
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27	*Switz	
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35	*Fogue	
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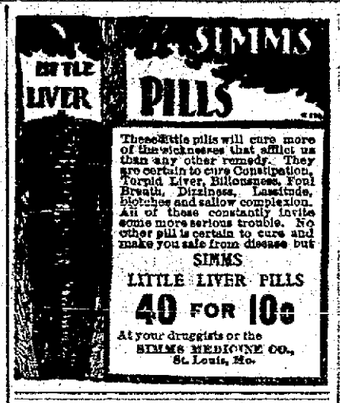

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NOT VERDANT.

Man from the Country Got the Best of St. Louis Sharks.

Hiram Buxton, a farmer from Zwanzig, Morgan county, Mo., proved last night that he was not as green as he appeared, and two confidence men are mourning the loss of $30 which Buxton relieved them of. Buxton is a typical farmer, relates the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. He has a long, flowing beard and hair, wears a pair of heavy rawhide boots, well caked with clay, a brown suit of homespun and a broad-brim hat of the Quaker style. He had been to Greencastle, Ind., on a business trip, and was on his way home. As he had some time to wait for his train he decided to stroll about in the vicinity of the station. During the stroll he was greeted by a well-dressed young man, who extended the "glad hand" and said he had known him for years, and that he had not changed a bit since he last saw him. Buxton expressed himself as pleased to meet the young man, but could not remember his face or name. The young man said his name was John Smith, and Buxton remembered several John Smiths that lived near him, and inquired whether the young man was the son of John Smith, who was interested in a lead mine near Zwanzig, or the John Smith who had run the general store, but was now on a farm. The young man assured Buxton that he was the son of the mine owner, and immediately invited him into a neighboring saloon to have a drink. Buxton insisted on doing the honors, and without thinking displayed a large roll of bills. At this juncture another young man entered and greeted Smith cordially and he was introduced to Buxton. Then another round of drinks were ordered, and Smith proposed that they have a social game of dice to see who should pay for the next round. Buxton agreed, and he won. Finally a dollar was bet on the side, and Buxton won. Then the stake was raised to $5, and this Buxton also won. Then the men wanted to put up $10, but Buxton said $9 was enough, and the three deposited that sum on the table. Buxton won again. Then the confidence men said that they would make one more bet, each putting up $50. In the meantime, Buxton had picked the $27 from the table, and, with his other money, placed it in his pocket. Then he glanced at the clock and remarked that it was train time.

FATAL delays are caused by experimenting with cough and cold cures. Foley's Honey and Tar will prevent a cold from resulting in PNEUMONIA.

H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

LITERARY NOTES.

"The History of Colonization," by Henry C. Morris of Chicago, formerly United States consul at Ghent, is to make its appearance almost immediately.

The approach of the centenary of the birth of Hans Christian Anderson is to be celebrated by the simultaneous issue in several countries of a sumptuous edition of his fairy tales.

The December issue of the Smart Set presents the usual variety of attractions in the way of verse and prose. The leading story, "Her Guard of Honor," is by Miriam Michelson.

An announcement of interest is that Dr. Edward Eggleston will publish soon "The Transit of Civilization from England to America in the Seventeenth Century," a historical work which represents a new undertaking in the writing of American history. The book pictures the literary, scientific and other influences which were brought to this country from Europe in the early years of our history.

"Wayside, the home of the Hawthornes in Concord, was a comfortable little house on a shady, grassy road. To please his wife he had built an addition to it, a tower into which he could climb, locking out the world below and underneath, a little parlor, in whose dainty new furnishings Mrs. Hawthorne took a womanish delight. Yet somehow gay Brussels rugs and gilded frames were not the background for the morbid, silent recluse.

Justin McCarthy in a recent article has been recounting some of the witty or apt sayings he has heard. One of them is James McNeill Whistler's reply to a distinguished but ill-favored novelist whose portrait he had painted: "When the portrait was finished the sitter did not seem satisfied with it. 'You don't seem to like it,' Whistler said. The sitter confessed that he did not, and said, in self-justification, 'You must admit that it is a bad work of art.' 'Yes,' Whistler replied; 'but I think you must admit that you are a bad work of nature.'"

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Gold in the Bustle.

Soon after the death of Mrs. Betsey C. Thilmen, in Oneonta, N. Y., a relative noticed an innocent looking bustle hanging on the wall. It was taken down, and found to be rather heavy An examination disclosed, carefully packed away in the bustle, $250 in gold.

Precious Stones in River Bed.

The Brahmapootra, from whose banks came the fowls that were so popular in this country a number of years ago, is 1,500 miles in length. It is said that every variety of precious stone has been found in the sand of its bed.

WOMAN AND HOME.

ITEMS OF INTEREST FOR MAIDS AND MATRONS.

The Perfume Charm—Various Ways of Diffusing Sweet and Exclusive Scent—The Beauty, the Duty and the Desirability of Being Well Dressed.

THE PERFUME CHARM.

Women have many ingenious ways of scenting their wearing apparel beside the use of liquid perfume. Sachets filled with powder are sewn in bodices, muffs and hats, and in the case of a fur coat or cape, sweet smelling powder is laid under the lining or between the folds of wadding. Jewelers have recently invented a cleverly designed charm to hang on watch chain, bracelet or chatelaine. This is in the form of a small gold ball perforated with tiny holes, having a top to screw on and off. Inside is a sponge saturated with scent, or else a second smaller ball, which contains a strongly perfumed powder. The lady wearing this ornament carries about a special atmosphere of scent, which is soon recognized wherever she goes, says the Mail and Express.

Scented veils are worn, and gloves, ribbons, scraps of lace and so on are kept in silken sachets, carefully scented. Some ultra smart women use scent fountains, which are kept constantly playing in their rooms, and are often used to perfume the hair.

Some women identify themselves with one special perfume, and with this favorite essence they scent their handkerchiefs, their hair, gowns, lingerie, fans and writing paper; in fact, all their possessions. The last note of smartness is to choose a favorite flower, with which their scent corresponds. Say, for example, the violet; in that case a perfume of violets would permeate the whole costume.

Even the apartments of fashionable folk are perfumed. Pastilles are burned by some, while others use eau de Cologne, set alight in an iron spoon, and a few employ incense, such as is used in churches, so that the drawing room seems to acquire a faint, mysterious sweetness which, when the perfume is judiciously managed, the guests find it difficult to account for.

KEEPING CANDLES IN THE HOUSE.

Whenever there is a flood, earthquake, storm or other disaster in a city the horror of the situation is added to by lack of light. Either the electric light wires and poles will be blown down, connections or machinery stopped, power house flooded, or in some other way the gas or electric light is cut off, says the Ladies' World.

For some purposes, such as carrying from one room to another, and keeping in a bedroom to make a quick light in case of sudden emergency, candles have never been improved upon. They are safe, clean, convenient and cheap. Anyone who once adopts the good English custom of keeping a candlestick in each bedroom, will never abandon it. Have low, plain candlesticks, easy to keep clean, not easily broken, and with a saucer shaped base broad enough to catch all the drip and impossible to upset, and even if you never experience a St. Louis or Galveston storm, a Charleston earthquake or a big fire, you will still be glad a dozen times a year that you have them, and if you never allow a lamp carried from one room to another, you will be less apt to collect your insurance.

DANCING FROCK.

Pale blue silk muslin over blue silk. Accordion plaited bertha ruffles on the bodice, edged with a very narrow like ruffling. Three hemmed blue muslin ruffles at bottom of skirt. Flower decorations of palest pink roses and glossy green leaves. Pink velvet shoulder straps and belt. Black velvet rosette at left shoulder.

ART AND CLOTHES.

What is a woman's first ambition? To be beautiful, of course, for that secures inevitably both admiration and love. There is no woman anywhere but desires to look well in the eyes of others. This desire for beauty, therefore, being natural and universal, must have been put in all wisdom into the constitution of a woman's mind. It was a blessed doctrine taught in the Friends' yearly meeting—"God made woman to make the world beautiful as much as flowers, birds and butterflies."

It is true that many saintly souls abide in awkward forms, and are covered with distasteful arrangements of woolen, silk and cotton, but such dwelling places put them at a disadvantage; in well proportioned, graceful bodies, becomingly clad, their influence for good would be augmented. Everyone that adds beauty to goodness makes goodness doubly dear. It would seem to be the duty of the mother of children, especially of sons, to dress well and look her best at all times. She would be ideally beautiful to them and the farthest removed from dowdiness. A loving pride readily comes to the eyes of the son who fancies that his mother is the most tastefully dressed, the most delightful to look at, the most charming woman in the world. We have all heard of the woman who declared that "the sense of being well dressed gives a feeling of inward tranquillity which religion is powerless to bestow." Courage and clothes have much to do with each other, says the Detroit Free Press.

The followers of fashion have so long been held up to ridicule that the whole subject of woman's dress is overlaid with a measure of contempt in the minds of more serious people. When it shall come to be regarded as the outcome of character, as a medium for the indication of artistic taste, and only a necessary and charming accessory to highest usefulness.

ELABORATE COAT.

Of black velvet, lined with pink satin and trimmed with collar and cuffs of pink cloth embroidered in gold. Black velvet buttons surrounded by filagree gold. Wide low turban, surrounded by black breast and wreath of white gardenias.

NOVEL LUNCHEON FAVORS.

A pretty arrangement of favors at a recent luncheon masked them under bunches of violets which formed a circle around the centerpiece of flowers, which was made up of white lilies, says the New York Post. Bands of violet ribbon went to each cover, each guest drawing her favor by the ribbon when luncheon was over. The presence of the favors was not suspected until the moment for their distribution arrived, and the wreath of violets was an effective addition to the floral decoration.

FOR A SCHOOL GIRL.

Costume of dark blue wool for a child from 6 to 8 years. The sack coat is double-breasted and fastens with six gold buttons.

It has a wide turn-over collar covered with stitching, rows of which finish the edge of the coat and the bottom of the plain skirt.—Chic Parisien.

ITALIAN WOMAN LAWYER.

Learned women as university lecturers in science and literature have been known from old times in Italy. Now a woman renews the traditions of Portia. Signoria Labriola, daughter of the Socialist, Prof. Antonia Labriola, through her appointment as docent in the philosophy of law, becomes the first woman to serve on the faculty of the University of Rome, and the first to lecture on jurisprudence in Italy.

ORIENTAL NOVELTY.

An extremely oriental novelty, called a gorgerette, has come to the front in Paris, and is made of enameled gold and jewels. It is shown across the decolette bodice, extends from arm to arm, and is deeper in the middle than elsewhere, says the Pittsburg Dispatch. In design it strikingly resembles the ornament seen in pictures of Cleopatra and Roman women of her time.

OUR COOKING SCHOOL.

Cream of Asparagus Soup.

Cut a bunch of asparagus into half-inch lengths and boil slowly for an hour in a quart of weak white stock. Rub through a colander, return to the fire, season to taste and thicken with two tablespoonfuls of white roux. Pour slowly upon a pint of milk, to which a pinch of soda has been added. When very hot remove from the fire, pour upon a beaten egg and send to the table.

Potatoes with Cheese Sauce.

Boil and mash white potatoes and arrange them in a mound upon a fireproof platter. Take out a cupful of potato from the top of the mound, leaving a cavity in the center. Brush the mound and the inside of the cavity with the white of an egg and set in the oven to brown. Melt a half-cupful of butter, stir into it four tablespoonfuls of grated cheese, and when this melts pour it gradually upon the beaten yolks of two eggs. Season to taste and stir over the fire until very hot and like thick cream. Draw the potato to the door of the oven, pour the cheese sauce into the cavity, sift fine crumbs over the entire mound and return to the oven for five minutes before sending to the table.

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Member of Societe Astronomique.

Professor Paul J. Robert of Mobile, Ala., has received official notification of his election as a member of the Societe Astronomique de France. He was nominated by Camille Flammarion and M. Touchet after writing several lunar and meteorological reports for the monthly review of the society. There are twenty-three members in the United States, four of whom are women.

FREQUENT COUGHING

inflames the lungs. Foley's Honey and Tar stops the coughing and heals the lungs. The ordinary cough medicines which are simply expectorants, will not do this, as they keep the lungs irritated in throwing off the phlegm.

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Persecution Buoyed Him Up.

Benjamin Disraeli sprung from a persecuted race and pushed his way from humble life to the topmost round of political and social power. Scoffed, ridiculed, rebuffed, hissed from the house of commons, he simply said: "The time will come when you shall hear me." The time did come, and the boy "with no chance," swayed the scepter of England as prime minister for a quarter of a century.

W. L. Yancy, Paducah, Ky., writes: "I had a severe case of kidney disease and three of the best physicians in southern Kentucky treated me without success. I was induced to try Foley's Kidney Cure. The first bottle gave immediate relief and three bottles cured me permanently. I gladly recommend this wonderful remedy."

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VALUATION INCREASED.

The State Board of Equalization Advances Lima Ten Per Cent.

The Increase Includes Several of the Villages in the County, But Farm Lands are Allowed to Remain as They Were Returned.

The taxpayers of Lima will be interested in learning that the State Board of Equalization has increased the valuation in this city ten per cent. above that returned by land appraisers, who last summer canvassed the city and placed a valuation upon all the real estate in the city.

It was thought by the property owners that the valuation returned by the land appraisers was high enough, and in the Fifth and Sixth wards there was a feeling that much of the property had been valued at too high a figure. It was hoped that the state board would reduce the valuation, but such was not the case. By a vote of 25 to 1 they voted on the above mentioned increase.

The state board also increased the valuation in the village of Elida ten per cent; Harrod 20 per cent., and Cairo 50 per cent. The farm lands in the county were allowed to remain as returned by the local appraisers.

This action of the Board is not necessarily final, and if the proper effort is made by the citizens of Lima it is still possible to have the action reconsidered and the increase abated. Some cities of the state have sent delegations to Columbus to present their cases before the Borad with the result that a decrease in some instances has been obtained. If Lima people have any idea of such a course prompt action should be taken.

WANTED

In Toledo on a Charge of Bigamy

Was the Stranger Arrested Here This Morning.

William Holey Returns to Lima and is Again in Jail—Gus Mox Taken in Charge for Safe Keeping.

This morning an officer from Toledo arrived in this city with a warrant for the arrest of a man named Carl L. Townsend, a railroad man who, according to the information given out, is wanted in the Lucas County city on a charge of burglary and for non support of his family. Townsend was located by patrolman Mills and was arrested by the Toledo officer and constable Cremean.

William Haley who left this city some time ago after assaulting and severely beating James Place because the latter, he charged, abused his mother, returned yesterday and is now in the county jail awaiting arraignment on a charge of assault and battery.

Gus Mox, an old offender, was arrested on a charge of drunkenness today upon complaint of his wife who claims that it was unsafe to permit him to be about the house where their little baby is quite sick.

NOTICE OF MEETING.

OF THE DEMOCRACY OF THE CITY OF LIMA.

The Democracy of the City of Lima will meet at the school examiner's room in the basement of the court house in Lima, Ohio, on Friday evening, March 1st, 1901, for the purpose of electing a city committee and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Let there be a full attendance.

WALTER B. RICHIE, Chairman.
J. D. ARMSTRONG, Secretary.
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PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Louise Thompson, of Sidney, was the guest of friends here yesterday.

Miss Blanche Collins returned yesterday to her home in Hamilton, O., after a few days with her cousin Miss May Gallagher, of west Spring street.

Fred Oen returned Saturday evening from Cleveland, where he was called by the critical illness of a relative.

Mrs. Jos. Gottschalk, of Bowling Green, who has been visiting her daughters Mrs. A. Nims and Miss Kittie Gottschalk, of north West street returned to her home today.

Mrs. Nims, wife of conductor Asa Nims, of the C. H. & D., who underwent a surgical operation six weeks ago today, was able to be moved from the hospital to her home on north West street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Welsh, members of the Over the Fence Farce Comedy Co., which gives a performance at St. Marys tonight, spent Sunday and today here, the guests of Mrs. Welsh's sister, Mrs. B. Montague, of south West street.

Mrs. Maggie Munday is attending the funeral of Judge John Gyer, at Piqua.

Deputy Sheriff M. Summers, Jr., spent Sunday with his parents at Delphos.

Misses Minnie, Katherine and Margie Schlosser, of north McDonel street, spent Sunday with their aunt, Mrs. J. C. Stephens in Dayton.

Mrs. John Ralston and daughter Maurine, of west Market street, are the guests of friends in Marion, O.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Finicle, of west Elm street, are in Shelby, O., looking after some real estate.

Mr. William Richardson, of Columbus, O., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Ballard, of west North street.

Mrs. W. G. Waters, of Sidney, is the guest of Mrs. F. D. Louthan, of north West street.

Mrs. Clark Call, of south Pine street, who has been a patient in the Christ hospital in Cincinnati for five weeks, returned home Saturday, greatly improved in health.

Mrs. E. F. Brown, of Fostoria, O., is visiting Mrs. Burke.

THE IDLER.

Mrs. Lucy Green and Miss Lizzie Halliday, as representatives of Lincoln Court No.23, Tribe of Ben Hur, of this city, attended the contest of Ben Hur teams at the meeting held in Dayton, Friday, and report that the contest was won by a Springfield team, with teams from Tippecanoe City and Dayton courts competing. The prize awarded the winning team was a gold medal. Supreme Chief Girard and Supreme Scribe Snyder were in attendance.

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The Chautauquans will meet with Miss Louise Grafton on Monday evening. NELLIE POTTER, Sec'y.

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The Twentieth Century club will meet this evening with Mrs. Becker instead of Mrs. Richie.

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A birthday party was enjoyed by fifty little boys and girls on Friday afternoon, Miss Josephine Craft, eight years of age, receiving her guests in grown up style. Games and feasting made the little ones happy from 2 to 4 o'clock. Tiny flags were given as souvenirs in the happy affair.

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The Home Guards of America had a merry time at their "Hard Times" social, Friday evening. Songs, recitation, speeches, &c., were indulged in, after which a fine repast was served by the committee of ladies, who did themselves proud. Each brought their own tin cups, make-up, &c. Anyone dressed out of the ordinary was fined for their temerity. All in all it was a pleasant evening and one long to be remembered. Peter Laughlin was awarded the prize for the best comical make-up for men, and Miss Irene Leviness the same for the ladies.

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An effort is being made by the people on west Market street to have an arc light placed at the intersection of Market street and Jameson avenue. The light is badly needed at that point and the petitioners will doubtless have their wishes granted.

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Messrs Davis and Schlupp have sold the Columbia restaurant in the northwest corner of the square to a Toledo man, who will re-fit and re-open the place in two weeks. Mr. Davis will re-enter the employ of J. E. Grosjean.

LONG ILLNESS

Of Charles L. Michael Terminates Fatally.

Suffered from Lung Trouble for More Than a Year. Funeral to be Held Wednesday.

Charles L. Michael, son of Mr. and Mrs. Burditt Michael, of 836 west Spring street, died at 4 o'clock this morning, death resulting from lung trouble from which he had been a sufferer for more than a year. The deceased was born near Vaughnsville and lived to the age of 20 years, 8 months and 8 days. He was for some time employed as a bookkeeper and had a wide circle of friends. He is survived by his parents and two brother, George and Earl Michael.

Funeral services will be held at the residence at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, and will be conducted by Rev. Figley and Rev. Miller. Interment will be made in Woodlawn cemetery.

Turkeys, Chickens and Fish at Townsend's market.

What't the secret of happy, vigorous health? Simply keeping the bowels, the stomach, the liver and kidneys strong and active. Burdock Blood Bitters does it.

ELIDA NEWS.

Miss Maggie Snider, of Lima, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. L. Bechtol.

Rev. Gamble is holding a series of meetings at the M. E. church.

Miss Jennie Miller, of Bremen, O., is here visiting her uncle, Abe Keller.

C. M. Woods and George Copus, of Delphos, were in attendance at lodge Monday night and witnessed the initeatory and third degrees.

Quite a lot of corn is being hauled in to the elevators here the past week.

Mrs. W. L. Bechtol was in Lima one day this week.

Miss McCoy, of Dayton, spent a few days here this week, the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. F. Gamble.

Too late to cure a cold after consumption has fastened its deadly grip on the lungs. Take Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup while yet there is time

GRANT MITCHELL

Died from Lung and Throat Trouble Yesterday.

Leaves a Wife and Three Children. Funeral Services to be Held Tomorrow Afternoon.

Grant Mitchell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip K. Mitchell, died Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from lung and throat trouble, after a lingering illness of about one year and a half. The deceased was aged 35 years, 5 months and 27 days. A leaves a wife and three children; a father, mother and four sisters. The funeral will be held from the residence of his father, 116 west Elm street, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in Woodlawn cemetery.

The largest assortment of new Embroideries in Lima at Carroll & Cooney's.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS

Present a Departing Member With a Valuable Gift.

The members of Holly Camp, 1330 Royal Neighbors of America, gave a banquet in their hall Feb. 23 in honor of Mrs. Madge Stone. W. T. Copeland presented her with a beautiful ring in behalf of the lodge, after which ice cream, cake and coffee were served. The surprise was in honor of her departure to California, where she expects to make her future home. A royal good time was had by all.

RECORDER.

F—I—S—H at Townsend's.

BROOKER T. WASHINGTON.

Will be the Subject of the Meeting Thursday Afternoon.

The Ladies Musical Literary club will meet at Mrs. J. Morin's, on south West street, Thursday afternoon. Topic—Brooker T. Washington's School and College Life.

Scald head is an eczema of the scalp—very severe sometimes, but it can be cured. Doan's Ointment, quick and permanent in its results. At any drug store, 50 cents.

DOWAGER EMPRESS DYING.

Hamburg, Feb. 25.—King Edward will stay at Fredericshhoff, the residence of his sister to emphasize privateness of his visit to Germany. Doctors agree that Dowager Empress cannot live three months longer.

F—I—S—H at Townsend's.

BURGLAR'S DARING ESCAPE.

Sharon, Pa., Feb. 25.—Jas. Boyle, charged with burglary, and several other crimes made daring escapes from Mercer jail by sawing bars in his cell and digging the dirt away from the corridors into the cellar. He is wanted at Youngstown for passing worthless checks.

F—I—S—H at Townsend's

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We're making Cloak history and though 'tis late in the season such items as the following go far toward adding reputation to the department:

Eight button tight fitting Jackets of fine material, storm collar and full sleeves, stitched seams, collar, reveres and sleeves, finished with 4 rows of stitching, regular price $10.00, now - $5.00

Beaver Jackets with large fur storm collar and reveres, a tight fitting garment lined throughout, colors are black and castor, regular price $14.00, reduced to $7 each.

Millinery Bargains.

The end of the season finds us with too many hats. We must reduce the surplus at once.

These are all the newest shapes and colors, not many of a kind.

There'll be lively trading here while they last. Come tomorrow.

Exceptionally stylish trimmed hats made from the best materials, regular $5.50 and $12.00 goods, at

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100 street hats, all this season's styles, regular price 75c to $1.00, at

25c Each.

Lace Curtain Sale.

Soon will come the busy house cleaning time. Many changes, much contriving and more or less replenishing. This Lace Curtain Sale comes just in the nick of time.

Nottingham lace curtains, 3 yards long, 43 inches wide, at

78c the pair.

Good quality nottingham lace curtains, 3½ yards long, 48 inches wide, special,

$1.00 the pair.

5 styles lace curtains, 3½ yards long, 60 inches wide, at

$1.50 the pair.

Fine net curtains, 3½ yards long, 58 inches wide, with handsome border, at

$2.00 the pair.

Special lot fine net curtains, with imitation Rennaissance border, at

$2.50 the pair.

About Linings.

We want to impress you with the fact now, before the season fairly opens, that this stock of Linings is in every way dependable.

We buy Linings with the same care and thoughtful intelligence that we would use in buying silks.

We want none but the best; we buy none but the best; we want every woman who reads this to feel that in this store she can buy linings of any sort for any purpose, with the satisfying knowledge that the item bought is absolutely right in every way.

If not right, kindly tell us and we'll make it right.

Muslin Underwear.

You can buy any of these items with the full assurance that they are cheap, but don't put it off too long as the lots are limited.

Ladies' Gowns of good cotton, yoke trimmed with 6 rows of tucks and 2 rows of insertion, cambric ruffle in neck and sleeves

48c Each.

Gowns of excellent cotton, full length and width, yoke of lace, insertion and ribbon, seams finished with braid, neck and sleeves trimmed with cambric ruffle and edged with lace, worth $1.19, at

78c Each.

Drawers of good muslin, with wide hemstitched ruffle,

25c the pair.

Good muslin drawers with cluster tucks, trimmed with embroidery, at

35c the pair.

Fine cambric drawers with extra wide ruffle, 2 rows of insertion and wide lace,

50c the pair.

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Thursday, February 28.

BIG SHOE SALE

The W. H. Neise Shoe stock has been purchased by A. VOGEL & CO., at 50 cents on the dollar, and the entire stock must be sold in 30 days in order to give us a chance to get ready for our spring trade.

Remember every pair must be sold in 30 days, and it will give the people of Lima a chance to buy up-to-date Footwear at 50c on the dollar.

138 South Main Street,

W. H. Neise Shoe Stand.

A. VOGEL & CO.

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REPUBLICAN ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Please announce the name of D. C. RICHMOND, Sr., for Water Works Trustee for second term, subject to decision of Republican primary.

We are requested to announce the name of T. A. DOBBINS as a candidate for member of the City Council from the Fifth ward, subject to the decision of the Republican primary.

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